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ASTERN NEWS.

[illegible] TO THE OREGONIAN.]

St. Louis City Election

[illegible] Aug. 23.—Majority for the new [illegible] but the scheme for the separation of [illegible] county was defeated. The vote for the [illegible] void. It is said the frauds can be shown [illegible] which may prove that the scheme was [illegible]

[illegible] Democratic Convention

Aug. 23.—The Democratic State convention to-day and effected a temporary organization [illegible] committees and took a recess. [illegible] Gen. C W Blair was elected president. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the St. Louis platform and nominees and pledging the [illegible] to rigid economy. The convention [illegible] a committee to confer with the [illegible] Reform committee and [illegible] till a clock [illegible] session the committee appointed with the greenback party reported an [illegible] on the basis of the withdrawal of part [illegible] ticket. The convention then [illegible] by acclamation John Martin of Topeka, Mr Beals for Lieut. Governor, [illegible] Sheldon Auditor and [illegible] of Schools. With exception of [illegible] candidates are on the greenback [illegible] balance of the ticket is composed of [illegible]

[illegible] of the Mis'ppi Railway Accident.

[illegible], Aug. 23.—General Superintendent [illegible] the following in relation to the [illegible] ted at Jackson. An unprecedented [illegible] last night in the region eight miles [illegible] m., and a twelve-foot culvert [illegible] directly under the train. The [illegible] mail car passed over and the [illegible] car and ladies coach went [illegible] The sleeping car did not get off the [illegible] gers hurt were in the smoking [illegible] Summary of casualties is [illegible] stealing passage killed [illegible] ally wounded ten injured nine. The rain was a light one on both [illegible] in which the culvert is situated [illegible] to have concentrated all its [illegible] one central spot. A special to the [illegible] Villeneuve of Montreal [illegible]

[illegible] Utes Return their Arms.

[illegible] Aug. 23.—The Utes who deserted [illegible] at Cheyenne river Friday last ar[illegible] to-day, turning over their arms to [illegible]

[illegible] Thief Shot.

[illegible] here to-day for horse steal[illegible] of the Rocky Mountain Detective [illegible] from whom he broke away and ran [illegible] fired two shots in the air which failed [illegible] who displayed a pistol. The [illegible] was directed at him entering his hip [illegible] ward, and will prove fatal.

[illegible] Prohibition Ticket.

[illegible] Aug 24.—The Prohibitionist party [illegible] to-day, nominated for Governor Jos. [illegible] of the Wesleyan University [illegible] Rogers, secretary of [illegible] Cowles, Comptroller John A Rockwell [illegible] A. Dean. Also nominated Presidential [illegible] The [illegible] conventions condemn both the [illegible] and demand the disruption of the [illegible] tention of officers who are re[illegible]

[illegible] at the Centennial.

[illegible] Aug 24.—Fifty one workmen from [illegible], Havre, Marseilles, Lyons and [illegible] France, sent by the French govern[illegible] exhibition and study the improve[illegible] in their various trades.

[illegible] on the Republican Nominations.

[illegible] says The nomination of [illegible] one in itself, but the real [illegible] nominee in this con[illegible] to secure party unity, and [illegible] list of [illegible], even if from no other, [illegible] retired leader of the State can [illegible] able and experienced party tacti[illegible] be not [illegible] a match for Gov Tilden [illegible] he may be relied on to give close [illegible] the [illegible] of the canvass. The nomi[illegible] for the second place is one of the [illegible] have been made, and the ticket as a [illegible] a very hard one to beat.

[illegible] Disappears.

[illegible] vast swarms of grasshoppers [illegible] in this vicinity, chiefly going south [illegible] yet.

[illegible] in New York.

[illegible] Aug. 24.—Great excitement in coal [illegible] New Jersey Central declined 15 per [illegible] and Lackawanna 7, and Hudson [illegible]

[illegible] of the Late Speaker.

[illegible] 24.—The remains of Mr Kerr [illegible] and the body was escorted by a deputation of citizens.

[illegible], Ind., Aug 24.—The remains of [illegible] viewed to-day at the court [illegible] flowers were strewn on the casket [illegible] was hardly recognized by his [illegible] of the intense pain he suffered [illegible] At 8:30 to-night the [illegible] and taken to the family residence [illegible] of civic societies. The Masons and [illegible] will leave the house to-morrow after [illegible] The public buildings are draped. All business houses will be closed until the [illegible] quies are finished.

[illegible] at Poughkeepsie.

[illegible] Aug. 24.—Mattie won the post [illegible] Tyre second, Planter third. Time [illegible]

[illegible] was also postponed from yesterday [illegible], the sixth and Slowgo the seventh [illegible] thus winning the race. The time was 2:24¾, 2:24½, 2:23½.

[illegible] in the afternoon was for the 2:32 [illegible] started. Thorndale took [illegible] Frank second, Big Fellow [illegible] fourth; time 2:23¾, 2:24½, 2:23¼ [illegible] for all, Goldsmith Maid, Smuggler [illegible], Lulu and Bodine started. The [illegible] the field. Lulu broke [illegible] as did also Smuggler and [illegible] at the half mile the order was Maid [illegible] Fullerton. The Maid [illegible] stretch like lightning twen[illegible] of Bodine and distancing Lulu [illegible] Bodine got the best of [illegible] heat and aided by two or [illegible] breaks, kept ahead or [illegible] half of the home stretch [illegible] dous burst of speed [illegible] took the heat by two lengths in [illegible] won the last heat easily though [illegible] in eight lengths ahead.

[illegible] Nominated for Governor of Missouri.

[illegible] 24.—The unofficial report sent that [illegible] Finkelnburg had withdrawn his [illegible] candidate for governor of the [illegible] the nomination of the recent [illegible] convention proves to have been true [illegible] and the nomination to-day and [illegible] the canvass of the state as soon as [illegible] will permit. [illegible] has been renominated for election [illegible] by the Democrats of the twelfth district [illegible]

[illegible] Nominated in Michigan.

[illegible] Aug 24.—The National Greenback convention here to-day nominated [illegible] of this city was to-day nominated [illegible] by the Republicans of the [illegible]

Fire

[illegible] Aug. 24.—Heath & Allison's sawmill [illegible] near here were burned to-day.

[illegible] to be Nominated for Congress.

[illegible] Aug 24.—The Tribune's Boston special [illegible] is now little doubt but that Butler was [illegible] nomination in the seventh Congressional [illegible], having secured 37 of the 51 delegates [illegible] for the majority.

Canvass in Missouri—Speech of J. S. Phelps.

[illegible] Aug. 21.—John S Phelps Democrat [illegible] for governor of this State opened the [illegible] to-day at Easton in this county where [illegible] barbecue at which 4,000 to [illegible] 000 [illegible] Alluding to the scandal in circula[illegible] his action toward some ladies on [illegible] Andy Johnson last July, Col [illegible] denied there was any truth in the [illegible]

Desperadoes Captured.

[illegible] Aug 25.—John and James Sweeney [illegible] who have been raiding in the [illegible] along the southern border for three years [illegible] and brought here to-day.

Pennsylvania Coal Matters

[illegible] Aug 24.—The Philadelphia Coal [illegible] Co. issued a notice to-day that all their [illegible] contracts for coal may be annulled at the [illegible] of the purchaser, thus giving all dealers [illegible] to buy on the same footing. At an [illegible] meeting of the Coal Exchange held to [illegible] a committee was appointed to wait upon Mr [illegible] to ascertain the line of policy he means to [illegible] It was decided to call a general meeting [illegible] on the 30th. Orders were issued to [illegible] stop work at additional collieries. It is [illegible] that by Saturday there will be a [illegible] suspension of production.

[illegible] Aug. 24.—The Graphic says the report [illegible] of the coal companies that [illegible] state that their further action will be [illegible] by the prices named at the auction sale on [illegible] on Tuesday. Several thousand [illegible] to-day on the basis of next Tuesday's [illegible] of rumors and statements are being [illegible] which could not be traced to a [illegible] was to the effect that Tuesday's sale [illegible] take place; another was that four com[illegible] the sale of half a million tons.

would secure the services of [illegible] It is now very generally conceded by all [illegible] that the re-election of [illegible] will be at [illegible]

Significant Change in the Manners of the Indians

Chicago, Aug. [illegible].—Sioux City dispatches from Fort Sully state that the conduct of the Indians has become very docile within a few days and is in marked contrast to their former insolence. Many of them are voluntarily coming in and delivering up their arms. It is supposed they are influenced in this by the news of reverses to Sitting Bull's band which could easily reach them by the shorter and more direct line of communication with the hostile camp.

Quack Doctor Hanged by a Mob

Cincinnati, Aug 24.—A Berkley Springs special to the Enquirer says S W Crawford, a quack doctor confined in jail there charged with poisoning Wm Johnson, a respectable citizen, two weeks ago, was taken from jail by a mob of masked men last night and hanged.

Tennessee Democratic Convention

Nashville, Aug 24.—The Democratic State Convention to-day appointed Hon. F James of Chattanooga, elector of the State at large in place of Isham G Harris, who declined.

Tennessee Republican Convention

About 300 delegates were here at the Republican convention to-day. No nominations were made for Governor. Ex-Gov Foote and H Fettibone were chosen Presidential electors at large. The platform reaffirms the principles of the Cincinnati convention and of the Republican party.

Opening of the Campaign in Ohio.

Cleveland, Aug 24.—The Republicans opened the campaign in this city to-night with a very large meeting and a torchlight procession—the largest ever seen in the city. An out door meeting was held in Monumental Park and addressed by Gen Garfield, who spoke an hour and a half. His speech was enthusiastically received. Carl Schurz spoke in German to a crowded house in the Globe Theater.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Government Rents Again.

Washington, Aug 24.—The Secretary of the Interior has leased from ex-Gov Shepherd the upper portion of the new fire proof building on Pennsylvania avenue for use of the pension office and bureau of education at an annual rental of $15,000. The legislative appropriation bill gives $14,000 for this purpose. Shepherd will heat the building, hence the increase of rental over appropriation.

Army Movements.

Washington, Aug 24.—A general order just issued from the War Department directs Col Ruger upon assuming command of the Department of the South, on or about September 1st, to transfer the headquarters of the department to Atlanta, Georgia. Three companies of the 2d Infantry now in the Department of the Gulf will be transferred to the Department of the South at headquarters, and the companies of the 16th Infantry now in that Department will be transferred to the Department of the Gulf.

Southern Statesmen Coming to Canvass the State.

Washington, Aug 24.—There have been rumors for some time past that a large party of prominent Southern Democrats would make an excursion to canvass the Pacific States during the Presidential campaign, but no authorized statement concerning this movement could be obtained until now. About one month ago it was published on the authority of Representative Luttrell that upon returning to California he would go with Lane to Oregon with Lamar, Cox and other distinguished speakers to canvass all the Pacific States. Lamar subsequently denied that there was any authority for using his name in this connection. It is now discovered that the invitation was extended by California gentlemen, among whom were Leland Stanford, D D Colton, ex-Senator Casserly, S Hager, D O Mills, M S Latham, Frank McCoppin, S M Wilson, J. A. Donohoe and other leading Democrats of California and San Francisco capitalists, to Senator Gordon to visit the Pacific coast. The invitation is in the following words: We, the undersigned citizens of California, desire to have some of the representative men of the South visit our Pacific coast and our people and be brought into commercial intercourse and such personal relations as will enable you to fully understand the condition of matters on this side of the Rocky Mountains. We beg to offer you and such friends as you may select the compliments of a trip to San Francisco and return at any time within the next three months that will suit your convenience. We earnestly hope you will indicate your acceptance, when we will arrange for a trip and give you timely notice.

Senator Gordon, after receiving this invitation, extended the privilege offered to the leading Southern Senators and Representatives in Congress, among whom are Ransom, Lamar and Reagan. The object is to afford Southern Senators and members of Congress an opportunity to investigate the merits of the C. P. & Southern R. R. Companies so that they may vote intelligently at the next session of Congress upon bills pending affecting the interests of those companies. These members have heretofore supported the bill to aid the Texas Pacific Railroad.

Mr. Storrs Engaged to Defend Babcock

The Tribune's Washington special says: It is announced here to-night among Babcock's friends that Emory Storrs has been retained to defend him in his approaching trial for complicity in the safe burglary conspiracy. Storrs is expected here as soon as he gives the crooked whisky cases in the West a proper start.

Sale of 4½ p. c. Bonds.

Washington, Aug 24.—The Secretary of the Treasury to-day concluded the contract for the sale of three hundred million 4½ per cent bonds to be issued under the funding acts of 1870 and 1871 and due 1891. The combination unites the three parties who have been competing for the loan, and embraces N M Rothschild & Sons, Jos Morgan & Co, Morton Rose & Co and Seligman Bros of London, Drexel & Co of Philadelphia, Drexel Morgan & Co and J & W Seligman & Co of New York, The First National Bank of the city of New York and Morton Bliss & Co representing the American association. The Secretary of the Treasury will shortly issue calls for the redemption of 5-20 bonds.

CANADA.

Toronto Globe on Lord Dufferin's Mission

Toronto, Aug. 24.—To-day's Globe says the sensational telegram from Victoria via San Francisco bears more than absurdity on the face of it. In the first place, it is absolutely certain that so far from the Pacific railroad being abandoned every effort is being made to push it forward and secure the best means for its completion, and in the next place if the Canadian Pacific were to be dropped the announcement would be made not by the Governor General to a deputation of Victoria citizens, but by a responsible announcement *to the whole people of Canada*.

The lady who borrowed the red t[illegible] with white darnes six months ago will pl[illegible] return it to Mrs M A Warner.

Clothing almost given away at Kohn's, make room for fall stock now on the way.

The Magnum Bonum Shirt is popular [illegible] fashionable gentlemen.

Oysters and clam chowder at Barnes' Central Market—now and all the time.

This centennial year has witnessed in [illegible] sewing machine trade one of the greatest [illegible] best improvements of the age. We re[illegible] the Wheeler & Wilson No 8, a machine w[illegible] universally is acknowledged to be superior to anything in use.

We had a pleasant call from Mr T[illegible] Girard, general agent for Sherman & Hyde['s] San Francisco house. Mr Girard will sp[illegible] a few weeks in Oregon and Washington Territory looking after the interests of Messrs Sherman & Hyde, who are pushing [illegible] wholesale trade making it a leading featur[e of] their business. They have recently bought [a] controlling interest in one of the largest [illegible] factories in the East. Mr W S Pierce [illegible] manager of their Oregon department will have [on] exhibition a large stock of their superior [illegible] instruments including the Weber piano [illegible] Standard organ at store No 123 First st[illegible] near Morrison.

Notice to Fruit Dealers. All dealers [in] Fruit, Nuts, etc., will do well by calling [or] sending their orders to S. [illegible] dealer in Fruit, etc., corner of First and [illegible] streets, Portland, Oregon.

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[illegible]

[illegible]

Mr Eugene LaForrest, who died at Oregon City on the 21st inst., came to Oregon in 1846 and has lived here since, always maintaining the utmost respect and confidence of his fellow citizens. One more name on the death roll of the pioneers.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

The New Erie Scheme

London, Aug 24.—The [illegible] was the amended [illegible] reconstruction scheme has been [illegible] 187[illegible] Four coupons of first consolidated bonds are to be paid in cash and six funded. All the coupons after 18[illegible] will be paid in [illegible] Coupon bonds bearing interest at 7 per cent and payable in gold in 188[illegible] will be issued in exchange for funded coupons. Second consolidated mortgage bondholders are to fund ten consecutive coupons from June 1, 187[illegible] to December 1, 18[illegible], and convertible gold bond holders are to fund [illegible] quarterly coupons within same date. Coupon bonds for these funded coupons will bear [illegible] per cent interest till 1883 and thereafter 6 per cent. All bonds and coupons must be forthwith deposited with the reconstruction committee, who will foreclose on railway and buy it on behalf of bondholders. A new company is to be formed to work the line. Half the shares of the new company are to be vested in trustees to be called voting trustees. The shareholders in the present company are to be admitted to the new company on payment of their assessment on their shares.

France Russian Alliance Defeated

A correspondent of the *Telegraph* from Paris says: I have reason to know that shortly before the prorogation of the Chambers a serious proposition for Russian alliance with prospective restoration of Alsace and Lorraine as a bait was completely frustrated by the resolute attitude of the Republican leaders.

Bank of England

The proportion of Bank of England reserve to liabilities is 60⅞ per cent. Amount of bullion gone into the bank to-day £100,000, and the amount withdrawn, all for Lisbon, £126,000. Specie decreased in the bank the past week £711,000.

Bank of France.

Paris, Aug 24.—Specie in the Bank of France increased 3,781,000 francs the past week.

Editor Convicted of Libel

Paris, Aug 24.—The editor of the *Droits de l'Homme* was convicted in the correctional tribunal yesterday for libelling the Chamber of Deputies and sentenced to three months imprisonment and a fine of $600.

Convocation of Cardinals

Rome, Aug 24.—A convocation of cardinals is now sitting to ascertain the feasibility of the introduction of certain modifications in the system of electing Popes, so that electors may exercise full liberty when it becomes necessary to elect a successor to the present Pope.

Cardinal Antonelli Dying

Paris, Aug 24.—News from Rome received yesterday gives no hope of Cardinal Antonelli's recovering.

Soldiers for Cuba.

Madrid, Aug 24.—Further reinforcements will be dispatched to Cuba at the end of the month.

The King of Dahomey Threatens a Massacre.

London, Aug 24.—Advices received from Cape Coast Castle, dated August 2d, state that the King of Dahomey has confined all Europeans at Whydah in their houses and threatens to massacre them.

Imperial Tour.

Vienna, Aug 24.—The Prince Imperial of Austria will start next autumn on a two years tour through Europe and America.

Servian War News.

Vienna, Aug 24.—Servia's delay in accepting the good offices offered by all the powers at England's initiative is occasioned by the remonstrance of Montenegro, who fears being exposed to the whole forces of Turkey in the event of Servia concluding a separate peace. A compromise has consequently been arranged in accordance with which Servia makes one more effort, in which Montenegro will co-operate. This explains the sudden march of the Prince of Montenegro towards Kolanlju, where he will unite with the forces under his brother-in-law Vokorjis with the intention of attacking Turks about Ornetz in conjunction with the Servian force in the same neighborhood.

Berlin, Aug 24.—The Servians speak of the bombardment of the works about Alexinatz. This is supposed to show they have been driven behind their fortifications.

The Turks Reinforced

Belgrade, Aug 24.—An official dispatch recounting Thursday's fighting says both sides maintain their position. The Turks have received reinforcements to the number of 10,000. Yesterday afternoon it was rumored that the Turks had abandoned Saitscheve in order to concentrate all their forces for an attack at Alexinatz.

France and Germany Satisfied.

Constantinople, Aug 24.—The French and German ambassadors have informed the Porte that their governments are satisfied with the reparation made by the Turkish government for the Salonica outrage. The Porte has refused to consider the Greek note respecting Crete until the termination of the war, meanwhile business in Crete will be maintained.

Battle at Aitsaib

London, Aug 25.—A special to the *Standard* from Alexinatz says General Tchernayeff attacked Aitsaib at noon Wednesday. Twenty Servian battalions with two batteries of artillery passed through the valley leading northeast of Alexinatz to the Turkish headquarters. The movement was discovered by the Turks, who went to meet the column. The Turks held their ground although the Servians were superior in numbers. The losses of the Turks were heavy, nearly all their officers were killed or wounded. The Servians fought under shelter of a forest, but at six in the evening retreated to Alexinatz. Their total loss was 1,000 killed and wounded.

The *Daily News* dispatch from Belgrade says the Turks are gradually forcing the Servian outposts back to the entrenchments. General Harvatovich attacked the rear of the Turkish right flank.

Trap Laid for Servian Diplomatic Agents

The *Times* correspondent at Belgrade says the occupation of Gurgusovatz, Presbaba and Granik by the Servians is unwise. He should not be surprised if it turns out that a trap has been laid for the Horovatovich (?) diplomatic agents.

All the Powers except Germany Willing to Mediate

I am informed that mediation was virtually promised by all the powers except Germany before the battles around Alexinatz began.

Greek Subjects Making Trouble.

A *Times* special from Vienna says the Greeks are beginning to cause uneasiness in Constantinople. The Porte's refusal to grant the concessions demanded by Christians has revived the animosity between Christians and Mohammedans. This state of things has already led to bloodshed at Larissa. In a quarrel between a Turk and a Greek the latter was shot. This was the signal for a gathering, and before the authorities could interfere eight Turks were killed and several Greeks wounded. A riot ensued, followed by [illegible] all shops were closed. The Christians barricaded in their houses, and the Turks were encamped in the streets. A portion of the Turkish fleet has been dispatched [illegible] and troops have been asked for from Constantinople.

The formal [illegible] of M. [illegible] recently [illegible] the feasibility of [illegible] the desert [illegible] Algiers [illegible] the waters of the Mediterranean [illegible] a Captain of the French staff, has made a life study of the geography and commercial development of Algiers. After an exhaustive exploration of the [illegible] he [illegible] that the inland [illegible] gulf which extends some two [illegible] be restored [illegible] by turning the waters of the sea upon the desert, the result would exert no inconsiderable influence upon the commerce of the civilized world. The bed of the proposed gulf is 340 kilometers in length by 60 in breadth, or 210 by 37 miles, nearly the size of Lake Michigan. The expense would be from 80,000,000 to 100,000,000 francs, of which the Tunisian Government is willing to bear its share.

THE FIGHTING EDITOR

AN ENCOUNTER THAT THE ARKANSAS TRAVELLER MIGHT HAVE SEEN IN THE OLD DAYS

The recent visit to New York of Col Horace Featherstock, the veteran Arkansas journalist, recalls an animated and hitherto unpublished passage in the earlier days of that gentleman's variegated career. In that time and place a vigorous muscular development, quick eye and steady nerve were counted of more value in the editor's equipment than a powerful mind. The rugged and impulsive nature of the inhabitants led them to a hastiness in the settlement of personal disputes that prospered the undertakers even at times when all other business pursuits languished. In this respect they differed materially from their more philosophical fellow citizen of the East. Here if, as might happen in even the best regulated office, an error crept into the paper, the aggrieved party would call quietly and courteously state his case, [illegible] a correction; there the offended person walked in behind a pistol and casually expressed a belief that if the editor was a rapid writer he might possibly get the retraction written before he had finished [illegible] his revolver.

In many cases this aggressive action aroused equally combative qualities in the editor, and it not infrequently happened that one or the other was killed. These circumstances gradually developed the so called fighting editor, a picturesque and powerful character peculiar to American journalism. To him were referred all questions of dispute involving personal argument. He was the chivalrous, open-hearted and brave representative of a class now nearly extinct, whose character has suffered only from the reckless exaggeration of local historians, themselves luxuriant products of the same soil.

Col Featherstock was scarcely twenty one when he entered the office of the Eagleville *Tri-Weekly Tomahawk and Harrow*, and he had been there scarcely three weeks when the summary and scientific manner in which he ejected a powerful backwoodsman who had ventured to remonstrate against a savage personal reference to himself determined the chief to appoint Featherstock to the arduous and responsible position of fighting editor, a post which he held for seven years with honor to himself and credit to his paper. He was a good shot and similar in his suddenness to lightning. It is said that during his stay in the *Tomahawk* office he killed nineteen men. In fact the number of those that blundered in their dealings with him was so great that it became a current humorous saying in the region that Featherstock kept a graveyard of his own.

There lived in a neighboring county a gigantic and bloodthirsty ruffian who had often heard of the renowned fighting editor of the *Tomahawk*, and, having held his own and sometimes more with everybody he had ever met, he resolved to go to Eagleville and clean out the Colonel. When he appeared in the *Tomahawk* office he might, but for his great size and ferocious aspect, have been mistaken for the drummer of a firearms establishment. All his pockets were full of assorted weapons and his belt looked like a fence with pistol pickets. He stalked in with an air of brutal insolence, and said to the Colonel:

"Are you the *Tomahawk's* fighting editor?"

[The Colonel modestly allowed that he was.

"I understand you keep a select burying ground of your own."

"Yes," said the Colonel, "I must admit that I do find it necessary to keep a private cemetery."

[The ruffian reached down in his right-hand outside coat pocket, and lifted out an immense old fashioned revolver that bore a striking resemblance to a young Gatling gun. He swaggered up to the Colonel and banged the muzzle of the pistol down so savagely that it made a deep dent in the desk, and the words that accompanied the action were:

"Well, I've come, by G—d, to be buried in that graveyard."

[For the first (and last) time in his life the Colonel weakened. It seemed to him that life had never seemed so sweet as just at that moment—a sentiment fostered doubtless by the knowledge that he was standing face to face with a man who was fully determined to kill him. But if for an instant his courage wavered, his suavity never forsook him, and he looked up with a smile.

"I am right sorry, my friend, that I can't accommodate you, but my graveyard is full. There really isn't room for another one."

"I was afraid you couldn't find room in it for me," said the stranger, and he wrapped his words in a sneer that made the colonel think that life wasn't worth a cent. If the stranger had answered the colonel with pleasant words he might have retired off a great victory, but that sneer changed the whole programme. The colonel reached under his desk to the pistol shelf and brought out a weapon that looked like the elder brother of the stranger's shooting iron. The expression of his face was changed, but he went on talking in the same cheerful measured way, just as though without interruption he was adding to his previous remark:

"But though that one is closed full, I have just opened a new cemetery, and my sexton has dug a sample grave that I should think [he ran his eye deliberately along the stranger from his feet up to his eyes and fastened them there] would just fit you."

The stranger's grip on himself was gone. The change had been too sudden for him. Of all the crowd that the altercation had drawn into the room the Colonel was the first to realize the change and most accurate in his estimate of its extent. He proceeded pleasantly and deliberately:

"Now I may have conveyed to you when you first came in that this is not one of my regular slaughtering days; but at the same time if you insist——"

The Colonel tugged at the hammer of his pistol, but the lock was rusty. Probably that rust saved the stranger's life; he didn't insist, but turned and started off, and before the Colonel could get his pistol to a full cock the stranger was on the other side of the door walking away sad and thoughtful.

Hendricks' Kind of Reform.—Gov. Hendricks talks very prettily about civil service reform in his letter of acceptance. To show his consistency an Indiana correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* tells the following: In 18[illegible] the Legislature passed an act redistricting the State for judicial purposes and creating a number of new circuits. The district composed of the counties of Montgomery and Parke was left without a judge, and it became the duty of Gov Hendricks to appoint one to serve until the ensuing election. All the members of the bar of the two counties of both parties, and all or nearly all the county officials in both counties (those in Montgomery being mostly Democrats), together with a large number of leading citizens of both parties, joined in a request to Governor Hendricks to appoint Albert D Thomas to the judgeship of the [illegible] circuit, composed of the counties of Montgomery and Parke. He had served for a brief period on the common pleas bench and had given universal and unusual satisfaction. But Col S C Wilson, [illegible] a political friend of Gov. Hendricks, wanted the position, and although it was known to Gov. Hendricks that every member of the bar at the [illegible] court was bitterly opposed to his appointment, he gave him the place for no other reason on earth than his partisan zeal [illegible] Democracy, and because [illegible] Wilson's utter incompetency [illegible] was well known to Gov. Hendricks. He knew that [illegible] and had a mind peculiarly under the control of petty [illegible] at [illegible] of Gov. Hendricks in behalf of civil service reform [illegible] afterwards his competitor was [illegible] in the Democratic county of Montgomery by a majority of more than 700.

Dom Pedro is learning our language very rapidly. The other morning as he laid down the New York *Herald* he remarked that he had a few dollars to bet that somebody would knock the stuffing out of Turkey before many moons had waxed and waned.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

San Francisco Stock Market

San Francisco, Aug. 24.—Ophir 41 Mexican 13 [illegible] B & B [illegible] California [illegible] Savage 20½ Con Va 43¾ Chollar 5½ H & N 11 Point 12½ Jacket 34½ Imperial 5¾ Kentuck 14½ Alpha [illegible] Belcher 23½ Confidence 19½ S Nevada 14½ Bullion 41 Utah 20½ Exchequer 21 Seg Belcher 80 Overman 70 Justice 21½ Succor [illegible] Challenge 1½ Dayton [illegible] Union 14½ [illegible] Bryan 72½c Julia 8¾ Caledonia 8¾ Knickerbocker [illegible] Baltimore 2[illegible] S Hill 3½ New York [illegible] Woodville 1[illegible] Occidental 3¾ Alta 22 Mint 20c Kossuth [illegible] Andes 2[illegible] W Fargo 80 Leviathan 1 N Con Va [illegible] Prospect 6 Maryland [illegible] Cromer 2½ Monumental 9c Trojan [illegible] Globe 10c Ward 1¾ R Island 2 Lady Washington 3.

Evening Board.—Valley 35c [illegible] Con 10½ Belmont 2¼ K K Con 3½ Leopard 11½ Jefferson 10c Gila 1 Panther 1½ N Belle 20½ Hussey 10c Thomas 1.90 Manhattan 15½ Modoc 4 Coso Con 20c N Coso 2½ G Chariot 1.05 Exchequer 20 Con Va 54½, H & N 11½ Belcher 23¼ Mexican 3[illegible], Ophir 54½ Point 12½ B & B 4[illegible] Jacket 33⅞ Justice 27¼ Alpha 5⅞ Julia 8¾ Imperial 5½ Prospect 5¾

The Grangers' Convention.

San Francisco, Aug 23.—The Grangers convention has adjourned until September 12th, it being deemed advisable to postpone until that time consideration of a plan of operations to be adopted in shipping their wheat to England. So many details are to be perfected toward the furtherance of that end that the convention did not feel authorized to adopt arbitrary rules until all interested could be seen and their views obtained. In the meantime, however, wheat shipments will be made as fast as possible, it being calculated to have at least one ship on berth loading on Grangers account, and if grain comes in faster than is now anticipated necessary vessels will be obtained to receive it on board. Members of the convention have clubbed together and contributed enough wheat to load several vessels and will send it to the water as fast as needed. For a long time farmers have had to contend with a feeling of distrust on the part of capitalists, who would not loan money on grain stored in interior warehouses, and producers were in many cases seriously cramped in their efforts to move their crops from lack of necessary means, but now this evil has been remedied so far that no further trouble is feared, sufficient capital being available on easy terms to get what grain they want on board vessels. After loading English capitalists will advance money on cargoes, arrangements having been made to that end by managers of the Grangers. The estimate of the Grangers themselves is that the crop of wheat this season will reach 900,000 tons, of which some 600,000 tons will, it is thought, be available for export. The State Grange meets in this city on the second Tuesday in October, when the wheat question will be still further canvassed, besides other matters bearing upon the relations of Grangers and middlemen.

Rough Weather at Sea.

The ship *Conqueror*, which arrived this evening, 141 days from New York, had a very rough passage. During a gale off the Horn two seamen were thrown from the main yard and, falling on deck, were instantly killed. The ship soon afterwards began leaking badly. The engine which was used to work the pumps broke down, and for three weeks before making the port the crew kept constantly at the pumps. On June 15th a heavy sea boarded the ship, sweeping the decks and crushing one man to death. Last night, when in sight of port, both pumps broke down, and the vessel came in with several feet of water in the hold.

Going East.

J C Flood, of Flood & O'Brien, will leave for the East on Saturday. One object of his trip it is stated is to make arrangements for the establishment and transfer of the offices of the Consolidated Virginia and California companies for the convenience of brokers of the New York Mining Board.

Fatal Explosion in a Tunnel.

San Francisco, Aug. 24.—A private dispatch received here reports that a disastrous explosion occurred this morning in Mariposa tunnel, Mariposa county, by which the following miners were instantly killed: Etheridge Aunt, M McAnnalby, C Boyle, Andrew Healy and Charles Ensse. The dispatch gives no further particulars, either as to the cause of the explosion or amount of damage to the works.

Smallpox.

Only one case of smallpox this morning.

Lawless Found Guilty of Abduction.

The trial of Walter Lawless for felony in procuring young girls for houses of ill fame in Portland was resumed at the municipal court to-day. The crime was brought home to Lawless and the jury found him guilty. He will appear for sentence Saturday.

Dishonest Official Investigated.

San Francisco, Aug 24.—It is reported about the city hall that one of the members of the committee to whom the business of purchasing supplies is entrusted is under investigation by the grand jury. One of the charges is that goods purchased for the city found their way to the supervisor's house. Supervisor Wise, chairman of the finance committee, Auditor Maynard and Mayor Bryant were summoned before the grand jury yesterday to testify in relation to the house of correction purchases, and last night at a late hour some of these officials visited the institution and thoroughly examined the property sent out. There was a great deal of commotion around the city hall to-day, and it is generally understood that the grand jury have struck a bonanza of corruption.

The Indictment vs. Mohrig Sustained.

The demurrer to the indictment found against C F Mohrig for manufacturing and uttering counterfeit gold dollars and coins of original design was argued before Judge Sawyer in the U S circuit court this morning. The Court sustained the indictment and the case is set for trial October 24th. It is understood that witnesses will be subpenaed in this case from Chicago.

Attempted Suicide.

A little before 2 to-day a man named Arnold Lull was observed by a special officer to jump off the end of Mission street wharf. He was fished out of the water, when it was observed he had cut his throat. The officer conveyed him to the city prison hospital. As well as could be gleaned from the story of the sufferer, who appeared to be recovering from an attack of delirium tremens, he is a lieutenant in the U S navy on leave of absence. He was stopping at the Palace hotel until a short time ago, and attempted to kill himself solely through drunken mania. The wound is not serious.

Hoodlum Murderers Locked Up.

San Francisco, Aug 24.—Wilkie, alias Charlie Wilson, Daniel Myrtle and Daniel Conlon, hoodlums implicated in the recent Earle murder and lately arrested in Sacramento, arrived this evening via Stockton in custody and were locked up to await examination.

Marine Accident.

The ship *St Charles*, which arrived to-day from Liverpool, reports that [illegible] B[illegible], a seaman native of this city, fell overboard and was drowned.

Died at Sea

The ship [illegible], just in from Newcastle, N. S. W., reports the death of John Curtis, seaman, by a fall from aloft.

NEVADA

Nevada Republican Convention

Carson, Aug. 24.—The permanent organization of the State Convention was effected to-night. Dr. [illegible] B Zabriskie of Lyon county was elected Chairman, Fred H Hart of Lander county Secretary, W. J. Haskins of Storey county Sergeant at Arms, and Thomas Carr Assistant. Adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow to give the committee on platform time to report. Speeches were made by DeLong, Fitch, Woods, Taylor and others. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

A shiftless woman—Eve.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Lord Dufferin Interviewed—The Carnarvon Terms Repudiated

Victoria, Aug 22.—The result of the four hours interview of the committee of fifteen gentlemen who waited on Lord Dufferin yesterday with the address setting forth British Columbia's grievances has not been published in full. They were requested to keep it secret and reporters were excluded. He declined to receive the address but pointed out that a petition to the crown was the proper course. It is said that according to the governor general's statement the island railway is abandoned, and that Lord Carnarvon is of opinion that the province should be compensated for its loss and for past railway delays. The *Standard* this morning has a severe editorial on the subject, and calls it a waste of time of the committeemen in their painful but patriotic duty of listening to vice regal subterfuges and queries, all of which had to be suffered under the ban of secrecy, an attempt to hoodwink and bilk the people in the name of royalty and an effort to shirk responsibility whilst acting as vice regal spy, and declares that the island railway will be built and the Carnarvon terms carried out in spite of either of those noble lords, but if not, there will be a separation from Canada. It calls for a public meeting to receive the report of the secret interview and to declare war to the knife. The *Colonist* is editorially silent on the subject. To-morrow the governor general and suite attend the regatta here, and in the evening will embark on H M S *Amethyst* for Nanaimo, Budd's Inlet, Queen Charlotte's Island, etc., returning to Victoria about the 7th of Sept.

Victoria, Aug 23.—The *Standard* to-day is more moderate than yesterday on Lord Dufferin's mission, and says it is not a formal or official visit of the first magistrate of the Dominion, nor to turn the first sod of the railway, but to ask British Columbia to accept less than one hundred cents on the dollar on Canadian promises. But while willing to wait, if necessary, for the railway rather than impose excessive taxation on any portion of the Dominion, they will not entertain any proposal to set aside the Carnarvon terms.

The *Colonist* confesses to a feeling of disappointment as to the result of the late interview, and says there must exist a fear in the minds of the people that if the province accepted a certain sum as compensation, even if it should pass the Canadian lower House, it would fail in the Senate and run the risk of further disappointments. The country can stand no more delays. The loss to scores of men here by the failure of the road thus far has been large. It counsels a respectful but firm demand on the colonial office for the fulfillment of the Carnarvon terms or an imperial guarantee to a company which it thinks would meet with a favorable response, and reproves the *Standard* editor for indulging in savage appeals to the knife, offering insults to Her Majesty's representative, who has come here charged with an important duty.

This afternoon is kept as a half-holiday, many stores, offices, etc., being closed, and the people gone to witness the regatta on the arm, where it is expected Lord and Lady Dufferin and suit will be present.

The steamer *Dakota*, from San Francisco, arrived at 8 o'clock this morning.

Lord Dufferin Gone on a Northern Trip.

Victoria, Aug. 24.—A deputation from the Chamber of Commerce waited upon Lord Dufferin with an address yesterday. During his conversation with them he announced that that when he returned from the mainland he would communicate his views on the railway difficulty through the provincial press. The Governor General and suite attended the regatta yesterday afternoon and were greatly pleased, particularly with the Indian canoe races. His party embarked on the *Amethyst* at 11 o'clock last night, at which time Esquimalt and the war vessels in the harbor were brilliantly illuminated. A large number of people from Victoria were there to witness the display. The steamer *Sir James Douglas* accompanies the *Amethyst* on her northern trip. On his return Lord Dufferin will give a ball about the 18th of September.

PLAN FOR SETTLING THE INDIAN DIFFICULTIES

In a letter addressed to the President, Bishop Whipple says:

Will you pardon me if I suggest a plan which may obviate some of the evils until Congress provides a remedy? I doubt whether Congress will adopt any new system or appoint a commission to devise one. The end may be reached by a simple method. First: Concentrate the Indian tribes, viz., Place all of the Indians in Minnesota on the White Earth reservation, the Indians of New Mexico, Colorado and the Sioux on the Indian Territory, the Indians on the Pacific Coast upon the reserves. The Sioux cannot be removed at once, but probably twenty bands would consent to go at once, and that prosperity in their new homes would draw others. If the Government adopt the plan the end can be reached.

Second. Whenever an Indian in good faith gives up his wild life and begins to live by labor, give him an honest title by patent of 160 acres of land, and make it inalienable. So long as the reserve is held by the tribe, it offers a premium to the greed of white men. The certificates of occupancy are not, as titles, worth the paper upon which they are printed.

Third. Provide government for every Indian tribe placed upon a reservation. Congress might authorize the President to appoint any Indian agent ex officio a United States Commissioner with full powers to administer law on the reservation. The United States marshal, in whose district the reservation is, might be authorized to appoint the requisite number of civilized Indians, or men of mixed blood, to act as a constabulary force. The United States Judge might be required to hold one session of his court on the reserve each year.

It requires no new machinery, no great expense. There are forty reservations where the plan could be inaugurated at once. As it is now, the civilized and Christian Indian is pitiably helpless. Five years ago a brute killed an Indian woman on the White Earth reserve in open day. The Indians arrested him. He was taken to Fort Ripley. After two months the Secretary of War ordered him to be discharged because there was no law to punish an Indian. I believe I can count one hundred murders by Indians which have taken place in Minnesota in the past seventeen years. No one asks any questions any more than if they were swine. They have almost uniformly been committed while under the influence of fire water furnished in violation of law by white men. When an Indian has become a perfect Ishmaelite we quietly allow him to join some hostile sovereign like Sitting Bull to murder our soldiers.

I end this long letter. You have often aided us in this work, and if you can aid in this simple remedy I shall be deeply grateful. I do believe that a just and humane policy worthy of a great Christian nation will save our poor Indian wards and bring upon us the blessings of God. Assuring you of my kind regard, I am your obedient servant,

H B WHIPPLE,
Bishop of Minnesota.

The [illegible] Cup—which is now the subject of much attention among yachtsmen and others—as it is to be competed for by the Canadian [illegible] the *Countess of Dufferin*, representing the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, and the yacht *[illegible]*, representing the New York Yacht Club, is now on exhibition at Tiffany's, Union square, and is daily inspected by persons interested in yachting. The prize, which is in the nature of ewer rather than of cup, is of antique pattern with arabesque ornamentations and weighs 13[illegible] ounces. It is of solid silver, is [illegible] inches high and its intrinsic value is said to be one hundred guineas, about $500. The base has a diameter of about eight inches; above that for three inches the diameter is not more than one and a half inches; the cup then expands into a bulb of six inches in diameter. Five inches above this is the main reservoir or bowl of the vessel, which spreads to the diameter of a foot. Above this main part is a neck nearly a foot long with a spout, and a large handle completes the design. The vessel is ornamented with six medallions at the points of contact of six burnished shields (for inscription) wrought on the main central part. Around the cup and above the main part is a circle of arabesque studs.

OREGON.

A lodge of the Knights of Pythias will soon be organized at Oregon City.

A Hayes and Wheeler club will be formed at Oregon City on Saturday night of this week.

The *Nucleus* denies that there is any smallpox either at Harrisburg, Halsey or Junction.

The Oregon City Seminary building has been repaired. New desks have been ordered from Chicago.

Cash patents have been received at the Roseburg land office for J. J. Moore, of Josephine; W Bybee (2), and P Powell, of Jackson county.

There are only five cases of smallpox at Milwaukie, says the *Enterprise*. All are of a mild type and under the medical care of Dr. Morris of Oregon City.

Clinton Macy, living some six miles [illegible] of Harrisburg, has har[illegible] one hundred thirty-six bushels of wheat from three [illegible] ground. That is pretty good for this y[illegible]

A petition for a mandamus to compel E. [illegible] Hatton, the defendant, to [illegible] the [illegible] and papers of the clerk's office in [illegible] to Bullard's creek, in Goose Lake valley, argued before Judge Prim at chambers [illegible] week by District Attorney H. K. Hanna [illegible] B. F. Dowell for Lake county, and A. C. [illegible] for defendant. The judge took the case [illegible] advisement.

Postal Agent Underwood has received a telegram from the Postmaster General [illegible] a reward of $200 [illegible] for the apprehension and conviction of the three highwaymen [illegible] robbed the Oregon and California [illegible] Siskiyou mountains. This, [illegible] standing offer of $300 by Wells, F[illegible] will make $500 [illegible] for the [illegible] conviction of [illegible] of the villains.

The [illegible] ished surveying the [illegible] glish company at [illegible] nia, the superintendent [illegible] in Jacksonville [illegible] parties to build the [illegible] The ditch will [illegible] 23 miles in length, and will carry 2,400 inches of water. It is intended to have it [illegible] time for this winter's work [illegible] claims belonging to that company.

At the last meeting of the [illegible] the M. E. church of Oregon City [illegible] tained that the [illegible] quite a [illegible] adopted by which the [illegible] and P[illegible] just [illegible] of the [illegible] of the church at [illegible]

The Harrisburg [illegible] evening of last week a [illegible] in the country, [illegible] of this place [illegible] at night with her [illegible] years. They were alone in the [illegible] rest of the family [illegible] and in the morning the lad [illegible] his mother was dead and ran to [illegible] to give the alarm. On the [illegible] neighbors it was [illegible] expired sometime during the [illegible] heart disease [illegible]

W. H. Dewey and J. M. C[illegible] nounced [illegible] for De[illegible] from Idaho Territory.

A late report from [illegible] tions the circ[illegible] of the appearance of an old [illegible] bendle, who, it is [illegible] Chinamen, three or four of [illegible] fled the country.

There is a stream called [illegible] in Washington Territory. It [illegible] Coeur d'Alene mountains, [illegible] westerly course about 50 miles and [illegible] the Spokane river. From the [illegible] emerges from the mountains [illegible] a valley about 15 miles long [illegible] wide, which is called [illegible]

A Silver City man [illegible] miles searching for two bo[illegible] others on the trip, was [illegible] out doors and ate [illegible] ful phenomenon. A streak of fire [illegible] from the heavenly bodies [illegible] some half dozen balls of fire [illegible] the earth, and resulting in [illegible] explosions, the sound of which [illegible] rapid succession for a long [illegible] most marvellous feature of the [illegible] was the fact of its occurring in the day[illegible]

The Cincinnati *Times* says [illegible] laying hard boiled eggs. There's [illegible] eggs-traordinary in that, [illegible] weather, but hens should learn to [illegible] yolk more coolly.—*New York Com. Adv.*

There is a rumor afloat that [illegible] ing wear black corsets, but its [illegible] fitly characterized by a widow, who [illegible] on hearing it, in the words of Polly, [illegible] Oh, the ignorance of these [illegible]!"

A little boy [illegible] strewing salt [illegible] pavement for the purpose of [illegible] ice, when a lady [illegible] exclaimed, "W[illegible] declare, this is real benevolence." "[illegible] aint," said the boy, "it is salt."

"Why is it, my dear sir," said Wallis' [illegible] lady the other day, "that our newspaper [illegible] never get rich?" "I don't know," was [illegible] reply, "except it is that dollars and [illegible] not always travel together."

When an American girl marries a Chinaman John does all the work while his wife reads all the novels. What a celestial life!

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 25, 1876.

AUTUMN CENTENNIAL EXHIBITS.

The managers of the Centennial Exhibition have announced that exhibits of agricultural products will be received during September and October. Prizes, consisting of medals or diplomas, will be awarded for superior excellence. Oregon having clearly taken the lead in the exhibition of such articles thus far, and being fully able to maintain the place she has won, it would be unfortunate if at this second display no samples of her productions should be exhibited. It should not be forgotten that such an opportunity as this for advertising the State is not likely to occur again. Correspondents of newspapers from all parts of the world are there, who will not fail to send home whatever is noteworthy. Especially will foreigners describe the products of different States, and dwell upon the inducements offered by them to intending immigrants. The attention of foreign people has long been turned to the United States as a place of refuge from want and oppression at home. Each year brings multitudes of working men and women to our shores from the overcrowded countries of Europe, to make for themselves new and more prosperous homes in our fertile land. The greatest desire is felt by such persons to learn what part of America is best to settle in. Nor is that desire felt by foreigners alone. The depression of trade and the overcrowded state of the labor market in the East induce many of the most desirable class of immigrants to look westward. The other States of the West are cognizant of this and are fully alive to the importance of doing everything in their power to turn the tide of immigration to their borders. Books and agents setting forth the manifold advantages of climate, soil, and productions, &c., abound in every city. But the most glowing representations of these are of but little value alongside of the productions themselves, the wheat, the flax, the wool, the various kinds of canned and preserved articles of food, and the timber, which any one can see and examine for himself. There can be no deception about these. They tell a tale that will convince even the most skeptical.

Oregon should not neglect to use every effort to be well represented in the Exhibition in the next two months. There is yet time to collect and forward to our zealous and efficient agetns there samples of this year's wheat, salmon, wool, flax and fruits. Let some of our cheeses be sent also. Some of the small cheeses we have seen in the market here will compare favorably with any made elsewhere. Other States having seen with surprise the superiority of the exhibits now in the Oregon department, and being conscious that they far excel any others of the same kind, are striving their utmost to bring forward, at their second display the very best they possess, hoping that Oregon will be negligent and not make proper effort and that thus they may be able to win the prizes offered. It will be only through the negligence of Oregon that it will be possible to do so. Directions have already been published how to send such articles, and we trust there will be no delay in doing so.

THE ATROCITIES IN SERVIA.

When the story of the atrocities committed by the Turks on the Serbs was told in the British House of Commons and Mr. Disraeli asked what steps, if any, the Government had taken, or intended to take, to put a stop to them, he replied in a flippant speech in which he made light of the reported massacres of Servian women and children, and intimated that the reports were invented by newspaper correspondents. So great, however, was the pressure brought to bear upon him, that he appointed a commissioner to visit the districts in which the atrocities were said to have been committed, to investigate the matter and make an official report. The commissioner has completed his tour of inspection and, although he has not yet reported, enough is known of what he saw to make it certain that the first reports detailed only a part of the truth. The statements sent to England did not begin to convey an idea of the cruelty and oppression inflicted upon inoffensive and harmless villagers. Instead of 12,000, as at first reported, being put to to death, at least 60,000 men, women and children are now said to have been causelessly murdered. Whole villages were burned and wide districts of country laid waste. It was alleged that these wrongs were perpetrated by the volunteers in the Turkish service, who were little, if at all, better than brigands, who were beyond the control of the Turkish Government and that the latter ought not to be held responsible for their acts. But the British Commissioner has ascertained that the greater number of the murders and the greater part of the devastation were done by the Turkish regular army, under the command of officers from the Porte. Nor was this all. The Commissioner further ascertained that the Softas, the leaders of religious opinion justified and extolled these atrocious acts on religious grounds.

What effect the report of the Commissioner will have upon public opinion in England remains to be seen. Should it change the strong feeling of sympathy for Turkey which now exists to one of aversion and disgust, the prospects of Turkey will be darkened. It is well known that nothing but the firm, friendly attitude of England prevents the precipitation of the ruin which hangs over Turkey suspended by a single thread. Let but England signify her indifference as to the fate of Turkey and a horde of Cossacks would quickly invest Constantinople and ere long the Crescent would vanish from the pinnacles of St. Sophia, and the voice of the muezzin give place to the Russian bell. The Turk would disappear from the country north of the Straits of the Dardanelles as completely as he has disappeared from that north of the Straits of Gibraltar. There would be few to mourn his extinction. Of all the nations of Europe, he has made the least advance. What he was when the gloom of the Dark Ages vanished before the brightness of the revival of letters and civilization, he is now. His literature consists of a few disconnected verses, and a handful of proverbs. His laws, his code of morals and his system of religious faith are contained in one volume—the production of an epileptic Bedouin Sheik—and have neither been changed nor modified for a thousand years. Not without courage, not without endurance, not without faith—his courage has become fanaticism, his endurance obstinacy, and his faith fatalism. The intelligence which he might have cultivated is obscured by the vicious practices to which he has become habituated until he is unable to appreciate, or care for the deplorable condition to which his country is reduced. He has lost, in a great measure, the sympathy of the civilized world. Even in England the little sympathy that is felt for him is stimulated, if not wholly sustained, by the determination of the English people to prevent Russia from gaining possession of his territory and sea ports. But for this, probably, England would abandon him to his fate. And even this she may yet do if these atrocities continue to be committed.

Allusion is made in the dispatches to-day of a scandalous report affecting the honor of Jno. S. Phelps, Democratic candidate for governor of Missouri. Col. Phelps, in a recent speech, denied that there was any foundation whatever for it. It may have been proper for Col. Phelps to deny the truth of the report, but no one who knows that gentleman would have believed a word of it, even if he had said nothing about it.

DIED:

In Eugene City, Aug. 22, Mrs. A. I. Nicklin.

In Oregon City, Aug. 21, Eugene La Forrest, aged 49 years.

In Payette Valley, Idaho, Aug. 15, Mrs. Caroline E. Parrott aged 80 years.

In Boise Valley, Aug. 17, M. B. Dement aged 60.

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JOHN F. MILLER,
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LEWIS SAVAGE,
E. M. WAITE,
Executive Committee.

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Booths on the Fair Ground.

THE BOOTHS BELONGING TO THE OREgon State Agricultural Society on the State Fair Grounds, will be leased at auction, for the Fair of 1876 only, on Thursday, September 21, 1876, at 2 o'clock P. M. Parties leasing are subject to all the rules and regulations of the Society relating to the use of said buildings. Twenty per cent of the money bid for rent must be paid down, balance on or before October 6, 1876. No booths will be erected this year. No person will be allowed to bid on more than two buildings. Parties desiring diagram of buildings or other particulars will address E. M. Waite, Secretary, Salem.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county.—James D. Walker, plaintiff, vs. C. M. Carter, Mary H Carter, Thomas Carter, Minerva Carter, J. H. Moore, The Willamet Iron Works, Eunice Burrows, T. W. Pittinger, P. D. W. Hardenberg, Ann J. Fleurud, R. B. Knapp and M. S. Burrell copartners doing business under the firm name of Knapp, Burrell & Co., Francis O. Adams, J. G. Richardson, George P. Gray, O. Olsen, Ira F. Powers, S. M. Lyon, D. N. Walter, I. N. Walter, D. L. Walter, E. Walter, M. Walter H. N. Walter and I. Walter, copartners under the firm name of Walter Bros., defendants —In Equity.—To Thomas Carter, Minerva Carter, O. Olsen and T. W. Pittinger, non-resident defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and suit by the 9th day of October, A. D. 1876, the same being the first day of the next regular term of said court to be held after the expiration of six weeks from the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against defendant, C. M. Carter, for the sum of twenty eight thousand and five hundred dollars ($28,500) in United States gold coin, and for interest thereon in like coin at the rate of one per cent per month since May 24, A. D. 1876, and for two per cent on the amount of said sum of $28,500, and the interest which shall be due thereon at the date of taking such judgment, and for the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit, and will take a decree against all the defendants declaring and establishing that plaintiff has a lien on those parcels or tracts of land in the city of Portland, in Multnomah county, state of Oregon, which are particularly described on the maps and plats of said city, as all of lot one in block two, and lot one in block seventy-seven, with the wharf thereon, and the wharf privileges in front thereof in the Willamette river, and also the parcel described as follows: commencing at the northeast corner of Columbia and Eleventh streets in said city, and running thence easterly along the north line of Columbia street two hundred feet to the west line of Tenth street; thence northerly along the west line of Tenth street one hundred feet, thence westerly and parallel with Columbia street two hundred feet to Eleventh street, and thence along the east line of Eleventh street one hundred feet to the place of beginning, to secure all the moneys for which the plaintiff prays judgment as above against said defendant, C. M. Carter, and that the said lien is superior and prior to the liens or claims of defendants against said property, and foreclosing the mortgages described in the complaint, and directing the sale of said lands as upon execution for United States gold coin and that the proceeds be applied to pay the costs and disbursements of this suit, and the expenses of such sale and plaintiff's said demands against said C. M. Carter, and that any surplus be distributed among the defendants according to their rights, and barring, and precluding defendants and each of them from setting up, asserting or prosecuting any claim against or to said lands except as redemptioners under the statute. And you are further notified that Honorable E. D. Shattuck, Judge of the above entitled court, on the 23d day of August, A. D. 1876, at chambers, made an order directing the service of this summons on you by publication in the WEEKLY OREGONIAN for six successive weeks.

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Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of Alder street lying between the west line of First street and the west line of Twelfth street shall be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1876

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions, (sidewalks, crosswalks, plank roadways and gutters of the proper width and grade and otherwise in good condition excepted. If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of laying plank gutters along the south curb line of Alder street, with box gutters at the intersections of cross streets, and all necessary grading therefor, the gutters along the curb to be 16 inches wide east of Fourth street, and 12 inches wide west of Fourth street.

Section 4. The provisions of sections 11 and 12 of Ordinance No. 793, entitled "an Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets," shall apply to all lumber and material used in the improvement herein provided for.

Section 5. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 6. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 7. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

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GUARDIAN'S SALE.—By virtue of an order and license to me directed, issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Multnomah on the 7th day of August, 1876, I, Ann Kingsley, guardian of the minor heirs of J. C. Kingsley, deceased, will on the 28th day of September, 1876 at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction, in front of the court house door, in said county, in separate parcels, to the highest bidder therefor, in U. S. gold coin, lots Nos. one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7) and eight (8), in block two hundred and twenty eight (228), in the city of East Portland, in said county and State, the same being a portion of the real [illegible] minor heirs.

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 25, 1876.

CITY.

ENCOURAGING WORK.—Rev. Mr. Dillon, writing to the *Advocate* about the M. E. church in East Portland during the past year, says: "About $1,000 worth of church improvements have been made and nearly all of it paid for. The benevolent collections have been as follows: Missionary, 51; church extension, $8 50; Woman's Aid Society, $6; Sunday school tract cause, $5 50; conference claimants, ; American Bible Society, $13 50; education, $3; Bishop's fund, $5; general conference expenses, $4; total, $105. Besides the current expenses have been met; presiding elder's allowance paid; the support of the editor's salary raised, and $40 of Sunday school money in the treasury. A Ladies' Aid Society was organized in the year—Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, president; Mrs. M. C. Dillon, secretary; and Clagett, treasurer. This society was efficient, and did much to aid in all the wants of the church.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT.—Yesterday morning at an early hour, a disturbance occurred in the Occidental saloon, between the barkeeper, Fred Ernst, and a man named Dick Neville, one of the employes about the hotel. These parties were engaged in shaking dice, when a difference arose which led to high words. Neville, in a fit of passion, seized hold of a bottle and struck Ernst a heavy blow on the head, which stunned him for a moment and cut a severe gash in the scalp. After striking the blow, Neville ran out of the saloon and down First street, closely pursued by Ernst. Both parties ran as far as Washington street, when hostilities would no doubt have been renewed, had not an officer arrived on the scene and marched Neville to jail. He was called upon to answer a charge of assault and battery, and a fine of was imposed by the court. Not being able to liquidate, he was committed to jail for seven days.

PASSENGER LIST.—This morning at 4 o'clock the steamship *Ajax*, Capt. Bolles, will sail for San Francisco with the following passengers: H. N. Moss, N. W. Tallant, F. Potts, J. L. Sanderson, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Mackentien, M. Jacobs, M. L. Kline, Miss D. Jacobs, Miss R. Mrs. M. R. Scott, Mrs. M. T. Wilson, Fannie Fitzsimon, A. A. Cohn, John O. A. Dodge, Geo. W. Hume, J. Cohn, W. Harris, J. G. Megler and wife; C. K. Hankee, Mathew Flaherty, L. H. Cline, J. W. Lincoln, M. Frank, Gale, Frances Lee, C. W. Gay, W. W. B. Bancroft, W. L. White, Mrs. H. J. Pyle, Levy Bronson, O. Ah Jim, W. F. & Co.'s messenger. A. R. Kellogg, wife and infant, W. Mrs. Mary Badedacher and child, Thos. O. Davidson, J. Palmer, Jas. Nor- Crawford, T. D. Hall, wife and

RETURNED TO ASHLAND.—Hon. R. Mallory, U. S. District Attorney, has just returned from Fort where he went several weeks ago to the prosecution in the case of Ter- Quinn, arrested for shooting an Indian county about one month since. The examination took place before U. S. Commissioner. The defendant was held to the action of the grand jury, the bonds fixed at $5,000. The Indian who was shot by Quinn subsequently died from the wound and the defendant has been bound over on a charge of manslaughter. Quinn has been brought to Jacksonville and lodged in jail in default of bonds, and will be kept in the jail there until the arrival of the U. S. Marshal who will convey him to Portland, where he is to be tried in the U. S. District Court.

FALSE ALARM OF FIRE.—Box No. 14 sent in an alarm of fire yesterday morning about 7 o'clock, which was responded to by the whole department with its accustomed alacrity. Turning out, and ready for action, no "raging fiend" could be discovered, so the boys returned to their respective engine houses without having a "spout." It seems the alarm originated from a difficulty in a portion of the city. Some persons were engaging in a "mill," when the bystanders began to call out: "Fight, fight," the word readily confounded with "fire," and so it passed from mouth to mouth and resulted in an alarm. A couple of hours (perhaps) and a good run for nothing were the sum total of the damage. 'Tis well.

A FINE ARTIST'S LECTURE.—We would advise all who take an interest in work on canvas to be sure and secure a seat in the New Market Theater . After weeks of labor and study has placed on canvas quite a number of fine views of the Yellowstone. We have seen the paintings, and with others who are equally as fortunate, pronounce them magnificent. The exhibition will be accompanied by a carefully studied descriptive lecture, which will be delivered in a manner and will not be tedious to those present. We hope to see a large attendance to-night.

A HARD CASE.—Jacob Anderson, who was employed by the municipal authorities of to wait upon Richard Nicoll, who died some days ago with the smallpox, has, we learn, been taken down with the contagion. Anderson had never contracted the disease and, we are informed, did not take the precaution of vaccination before he consented to become the nurse of Nicoll. A short time after Nicoll's death he became very sick, and yesterday morning Dr. Kellogg, the attending physician, pronounced his disease smallpox.

GOING TO CHINA.—The steamer *Ajax*, which will sail hence this morning, carries the of the OREGONIAN office in the person of Ah Jim, a generally useful and well known Celestial. Ah Jim has been about this office for over five years, during which time he has proved to be a faithful fellow, attentive to business and circumspect in his moral deportment. He goes to visit his "native heath" once more, and to claim for his bride one of the moon-eyed maidens of the Flowery Kingdom.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY.—A man named Leadbetter was arrested Wednesday on a charge of robbing a dwelling. Yesterday morning he was up in police court for examination. The court deeming the testimony sufficiently conclusive, held the defendant to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of . Failing to furnish required bonds, he now languishes in the county jail.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Aug. 24, 1876:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Thermometer	52°	78°	66°
Direction	N.	E. ¼	N.
Velocity	6	5	4
Weather	Clear.	Clear.	Clear.

Mean thermometer........ 79°
Rain fall........ .00

THE NEW COLLECTOR.—Hon. John Kelly, of Eugene, Lane county, who received the appointment of collector of customs for Willamette district, some time ago, took formal possession of the office Wednesday. Mr. Kelly filed his bond some weeks since, but entered upon the duties of the office on the 22d inst.

MILITARY NOTES.

Under date of Aug. 22d the following military orders have been issued:

Pursuant to telegraphic instructions of this date from division headquarters, First Lieut. Frank K. Upham, First Cavalry, appointed regimental quartermaster, will be relieved at Fort Walla Walla, W. T., and will report to Benicia barracks, California, and report to the regimental commander.

Upon the recommendation of his post and company commander, on account of the length of time which he has been in confinement awaiting trial, so much of the term of confinement awarded Private Edward Del- Company M, First Cavalry, as remains unexpired on the receipt of this order, is remitted, and he will be released and restored to duty.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Waller is fitting up again, for the winter, the Oxford Oyster Saloon, Oak street. Call and see him when you want a dish of oysters.

CHURCH MATTERS.

The following items of religious interest are collated from the *P. C. Advocate* and *Sentinel*:

Rev. Alph. Brongest is making a trip through the country in order to get acclimated.

The College Band made a very good impression at the recent fair in Astoria, which realized about $1,000.

Rev. J. Lemmens and Rev. Jos. Nicolaye left Portland on last Friday on their way to Victoria to enter upon their missionary life.

Preaching at the East Portland M. E. Church on Sabbath morning and evening next at the usual hours, Messrs. Crozier and Congill will fill the appointments.

Rev. Father Dols from McMinnville will celebrate the holy sacrifice of Mass in Cornelius every second Sunday of the month, beginning on the 10th of September.

We are glad to learn that the church in East Portland will be dedicated on the 10th of September. A carpenter is at work to build a nice altar. Mrs. M. Riley and Miss Barbara Schmidt have spared neither pain nor fatigue to collect money for the altar.

Rev. N. A. Starr desires us to say that the report in the *Advocate* of Aug. 10th, that the Lewis river circuit had more than doubled its membership during the year, is a mistake; the increase for the year is thirty-two members and thirty-two probationers.

The Scandinavian E. L. Church of Portland will not have opportunity to meet in the basement of the First Presbyterian church, as the building is undergoing repairs, but the pastor of the church will preach in the Norwegian language at 10 o'clock A. M. in the church in East Portland.

Rev. M. Judy reports twenty-eight accessions to the church as a result of a protracted meeting at the Clatskania, in Columbia county, Oregon. He assisted in the organization of a Sabbath School at Westport on the 20th inst. Mr. Henry Powell was elected superintendent and Mrs. Wiggins assistant.

His Grace Archbishop Blanchet has addressed to the clergy of Idaho a circular announcing that the resignation of Rt. Rev. L. Lootens has been accepted in Rome and that the Holy See has appointed the Archbishop of Oregon administrator of the vacant Vicariate Apostolic. The circular confirms the faculties both ordinary and extraordinary which the Priests have received from Bishop Lootens and also the ordinances and regulations already published in the country.

BRIEF NOTES.

Steamer off this morning at 4 o'clock.

Up to a late hour last evening, only one forlorn drunk captured.

Gen. Howard was expected to arrive home from down the river last evening.

Wednesday night was so cool that Jack Frost was almost tempted to start out on his nocturnal calls.

The City Rifles returned last evening from Cornelius after five days' rusticating in Washington county.

John Smith was fined $10 yesterday morning for being drunk and conducting himself in a disorderly manner. And yet they call this a land of liberty.

The new steamboat now being constructed at Celilo will have about 80 water tight compartments in her hull. It will be a difficult job to sink that boat.

A "mu-el" attached to a scavenger's cart got excited yesterday morning at the time of the fire alarm and ran away. Before proceeding far he was captured.

Mr. F. Schuenemann Potts, the noted German liberal thinker and lecturer, will sail this morning on the *Ajax* for San Francisco after a few weeks sojourn in Portland.

The third annual report of the city superintendent of public schools of Portland for the year ending June 23d, 1876, issued in pamphlet form, has been laid on our table.

A correspondent from Mollendo, Peru, S. A., writing to a friend in this city, says: "We hear to-day from Lima that the railroads are going to be finished immediately by Mr. Meigs."

Capt. MacDonald's Indian braves from British Columbia have made a great hit in New York City, where they exhibited one week to immense houses. On the 28th July they sailed for London, England.

NEW BOOKS.

The following new books have been added to the Portland Library:

The works of Frederick Schiller, historical and dramatic; history of the Revolt of the Netherlands continued, Trials of Counts Egmont and Horn, Wallenstein and Wilhelm Tell, Historical Dramas and Romances, The Robber's Fiesco, Love and Intrigue, Demetrius, The Ghost Seer, and The Sport of Destiny, translated from the German chiefly by Henry Bohn; 2 vols.

Model Dialogues—A new and choice collection of Original Dialogues, Tableaux, for School Exhibitions, Literary Societies, Lyceums, Anniversaries and Commencements, the Holidays, Church, Sunday School and Sociable gatherings, temperance meetings and home amusements, compiled by William M. Clark.

American Wild Fowl Shooting, describing haunts, habits and methods of shooting wild fowl, particularly those of the Western States of America, with instructions concerning guns, blinds, boats and decoys, the training of water retrievers, etc., by Joseph W. Long.

THE COURTS.

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD, J.—WOODWARD AND KELLY COMMISSIONERS.

Ordered that the clerk give obligation of this county to the First National Bank for the sum of $3,500 in United States gold coin, with interest at ten per cent per annum, and receive therefor for said bank, a credit of $3,500 gold coin to be drawn against and turn the said credit over to the treasurer of this county, taking his receipt therefor.

A great variety of household goods to-day, at Kilbourn's auction.

Not exactly given away, but nearly so—the clothing at Fishel & Roberts.

The lady who borrowed the red tidy worked with white daisies, six months ago, will please return it to Mrs. M. A. Warner.

Clothing almost given away at Kohn's, to make room for fall stock, now on the way.

The Magnum Bonum Shirt is popular with fashionable gentlemen.

Oysters and clam chowder at Barnes', Central Market—now and all the time.

This centennial year has witnessed in the sewing machine trade one of the greatest and best improvements of the age. We refer to the Wheeler & Wilson No. 8, a machine which universally is acknowledged to be superior to anything in use.

We had a pleasant call from Mr. T. R. Girard, general agent for Sherman & Hyde's San Francisco house. Mr. Girard will spend a few weeks in Oregon and Washington Territory, looking after the interests of Messrs. Sherman & Hyde, who are pushing their wholesale trade, making it a leading feature of their business. They have recently bought a controlling interest in one of the largest piano factories in the East. Mr. W. S. Pierce, manager of their Oregon department, will have on exhibition a large stock of their superior instruments, including the Weber piano and Standard organ at store No. 123 First street near Morrison.

NOTICE TO FRUIT DEALERS.—All dealers in Fruit, Nuts, etc., will do well by calling on or sending their orders to S. L. Store, wholesale dealer in Fruit, etc., corner of First and Ash streets, Portland, Oregon.

The opening of a coffin of a young man at Derry, N. H., who died 33 years ago, discloses the singular fact that his hair has grown out two feet or more, and is heavy, bright and fresh.

One of the coolest spots in town is the "Fountain," where Peter Wilhelm holds forth. He keeps the best liquors and cigars, and Weinhardt's best beer. His billiard tables are excellent, and the "Virginias" pool table continues a favorite.

NOTICE.—Mrs. S. Lord, First National Bank building, having abundantly proven her ability to produce a new crop of hair in all stages of baldness, also to check falling of the hair and itching of the scalp, would advise those intending to avail themselves of her treatment to do so without delay, as business will soon take her from the State for some time. Preparations sent to all parts of the country.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

First Day—Afternoon.

One o'clock was fixed upon as the time of meeting, but a great majority of members deluded themselves with the old maxim, that it is one until it is two. Not so with the president, Mr. Anderson. One means one with him. The programme called for a song, but as no singers appeared a volunteer choir did the work of the regulars, and just here let me digress enough to put in a word for the benefit of those parties absent who had promised to talk on algebra and grammar. They promise well but don't perform. It seems that one ought to know his mind well enough to be able to determine a month before hand whether or not he can do his part.

Mr. Gregg of the Salem schools, delivered the address of welcome, and was replied to by S. W. King of the Portland schools. Both gentlemen departed somewhat from the beaten track and gave us sound hints for improving the present hour.

C. H. Mattoon of Albany, spoke extempore of the organization of a district school. He said no two teachers proceeded in the same way, but that there are some general rules applicable, and that they ought to be understood by all: 1st. Examine material upon which one is to work—the disposition of the boys and girls. 2d. Importance of having everything exact. Have a time, and work to it—to the minute. 3d. Thoroughness in teaching—teacher to be perfectly familiar with the subject treated of in each lesson.

Gault thought that the arrangement of classes should be such as to place the heaviest work in the morning and the lighter later in the day.

Mattoon was not able in country districts to follow a regular programme.

Coon was strongly in favor of a regular well defined programme of exercises. He thought the teacher should not attempt the first day to hear recitations, but spend it in organizing classes. No pupil is to be overlooked, but the teacher must know that the boy has work enough to employ his time. If time remains after classification then use it for becoming better acquainted with his little friends.

County Superintendent Bolon of Lane, desired to impress upon the Institute the great importance of promptness.

J. K. Buff would have his organization plan fixed and made out before the beginning of school.

Mrs. Bowman thought that a fixed programme under all circumstances is impossible.

J. K. Buff of Marion county, volunteered on the subject of algebra, that subject having been assigned to H. H. Hewitt. Mr. Buff attempted nothing but the explanation of the primary work and did it well.

Mrs. Wilson asked as to when algebra should be studied.

Mr. Buff thought it should come in after a thorough mastery of arithmetic. Others thought it could be profitably studied before that time.

T. H. Crawford, of Salem, spoke of the elements of English grammar. He believes that grammar should not be thrust in the hands of young pupils, but that great care ought to be exercised in regard to language, allowing no errors of speech to go uncorrected.

Mrs. Wilson knows of a school that is divided into two sections, the captain of each section criticising the mistakes of the other.

I. W. Pratt told what had been done in Portland in the matter of primary grammar.

Superintendent Bolon favored oral instruction; said our best teachers used any text book, but such book only as a guide.

Mrs. Bowman asked, if instruction is confined to oral work, where is the authority on which criticisms are made?

Buff uses oral grammar, giving to little folks a thorough drill in participles.

Mr. Coon did not like dividing schools into sections.

King spoke of improvement in primary rooms in Portland. The plan is to correct errors when made, and thinks if the same thing could be done at the child's home, the matter of grammar will be solved; believed we emphasize too much the philosophy of grammar.

Rev. Jones agreed with what had been said, especially what was said of philosophy of grammar. He was glad such opinions were held and uttered by the foremost teachers in the land. He believes grammar not a primary study. He don't exclude text books. Oral teaching is apt to be loose, full of repetitions, and imperfect, causing much waste of time.

Gault's motion, laid on the table this morning, was taken up and amended so as to allow this association to elect at this session, the executive committee, upon the nomination of the superintendent of public instruction, and passed.

A recess until 7½ o'clock was taken.

Evening Session.

After the opening exercises A. J. Anderson took up the subject of Natural Sciences in Schools. First, the history. In ancient times great attention was given to the natural sciences, even to the exclusion of things now taught. During the Dark Ages nothing was done in the schools in natural sciences, and that college coricula exclude them entirely. Now we are drifting back, and the tendency is to give the natural sciences their place. The utility of any study in school was considered. Some branches are studied for use in after life, and some for mind discipline. The dead languages are peculiarly adapted to mind drill. Such is the fact with the natural sciences, since the powers of observation are cultivated. Mathematics acts powerfully on the mind but tends to wrap one's thoughts within himself, so that instances have been known where mathematicians have not known their own wives when met on the street. Men should go through the world with their eyes open. Natural sciences sharpens the sense perception; observation leads to inductive reasoning, thus maturing the ability to speedily arrive at correct conclusions. The tendency is to elevate the mind. Natural sciences should be taught in the scientific school to the fullest extent; in the college, though perhaps, to a less extent; third, in the High School, and last in the Common and Primary School.

In the Common School the questions are: Is there time? Yes; though only fifteen minutes, twice a week, can be devoted to that thing. And this time, so used, will be a needed recreation and will greatly aid in the study of the ordinary branches. Should not put books in the hands of pupils much less require them to commit to memory and recite pages of a text book. The work should be done from specimens.

Teachers may not now be prepared for this work, but they should prepare themselves. Thought the legislature should require examinations in the natural sciences for teachers' certificates, not too much at a time, but a beginning ought to be made.

Mr. Morse read an excellent essay on primary teaching. Adjourned till 9 A. M. to-morrow.

For a fine fashionable suit of clothing and a perfect fit, go to Kohn's.

A large display of carpets this day, at Kilbourn's auction.

W. L. ADAMS, M. D., A. M., LL. D., corner of First and Salmon streets, is curing the most inveterate chronic diseases of all kinds at a low price, by medicated, electric lightning cream baths, and by combining the German and French with the American improved practice, mixed with a little common sense. His treatment is, in the main, entirely original, and works almost miracles, as his numerous patients will attest. Is extraordinarily successful in treating female complaints.

Sore eyes speedily relieved. The worst form of piles cured, and the most malignant cancers eradicated root and branch without the use of the knife, or the money refunded.

PILES! NO CURE, NO PAY! PILES!

PILES OR HEMORRHOIDS, FISTULA IN ANO AND OTHER DISEASES OF THE RECTUM CAN BE CURED. Those suffering from the above distressing complaints would do well to call and see me soon, as I expect to go to Olympia in a few days, and visit other points on the Sound. I shall be absent a month or six weeks. Remember if I do not give relief and cure you, I shall not charge you for my services or the medicines used. To persons of limited means I would say, should you suffer because you are poor? My answer is, no! COME AND BE CURED. Rooms on Third street, between Washington and Alder, P. O. Box 247, Portland, Oregon. DR. C. F. WIGHTMAN.

N. B. Persons writing will please enclose stamp for return postage. Diseases of private character specially treated without mercury.

NOTICE.

The undersigned in taking leave of Portland returns his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage that has been bestowed, and would bespeak for his successors a continuance of the same.

Both DRS. BARBER & NICKLIN, are gentlemen in every way competent and worthy of any confidence that may be placed in them, and as such I can conscientiously recommend them to my former friends and patrons. J. H. HATCH.

OREGON CONFERENCE.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 23, 1876.

Communications from Willamette University, from Columbia River Conference and from Rev. J. B. Hill, were referred to appropriate committees.

A draft of $30 was ordered on the chartered fund.

Charges were presented against Rev. J. S. Douglas, and on motion they were referred to a committee of inquiry, consisting of Revs. Flinn, Doane, Nichols, McCain and Powell.

The characters of Revs. P. M. Starr, R. Bentley, J. Flinn, I. Dillon, W. Hurlburt, J. W. Miller, W. Butt, W. D. Nichols, J. Hoberg, G. W. Roork, T. F. Royal, W. C. Chattin, F. Elliott, of the Portland district, were examined and passed.

Revs. L. M. Nickerson, D. L. Spaulding, A. Clark, S. S. Vandersal, N. Doane, I. D. Driver, E. A. Judkins, H. C. Jenkins and J. H. Roork, of the Salem district, were severally examined and their characters passed.

Rev. S. H. Todd, of the Umpqua district, represented his district, and his character, with that of Revs. Patterson, Alderson, McCain and J. Harrer; passed.

Rev. P. M. Starr, P. E of Portland district, reported his field of labor as being very prosperous.

Rev. L. M. Nickerson, P. E. of Salem, reported his work in a prosperous condition.

Rev. Mr. White, pastor of M. E. Church South, was introduced to the Conference and invited to take part in the deliberations.

Rev. Mr. Sexton was granted a supernumerary relation, and Revs. I. Wilson and C. W. Todd were located.

The Sunday school anniversary will be held this evening in the court house, as a very large audience is expected.

Missionary anniversary to-morrow night. A number of strangers are expected to speak, as well as the Bishop.

The Conference voted to authorize the lessening, if necessary, the ratio in our general conferences.

Rev. S. H. Todd was elected fraternal delegate to bear greeting to the Southern M. E. Conference, which is to meet in Corvallis the 15th of September next.

Rev. A. C. Fairchild, P. E. of the Puget Sound district, represented his work as being prosperous and successful.

Rev. L. Powel was discontinued at his own request.

The bishop addressed the candidates for deacon's order, six in number, in a masterly style, setting forth their duties most plainly.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

The Coso, California, *News* alleges that the thermometer in Death Valley recently indicated 142 in the shade, and 118 at midnight. What a delightful summer resort that valley would be.

The deepest Atlantic soundings ever made were about 90 miles north of the island of St. Thomas, in 3,875 fathoms, and the pressure was so great that the bulb of the thermometer broke, though made to stand a pressure of three tons.

Lord Dufferin informs the people of Victoria, that the Island railroad, projected to connect Victoria and Nanaimo, has been abandoned, and the people have come to the conclusion that they are not so glad to see him after all.

During the last twenty years the British Government has added 573 ships to the navy by building, and has purchased 44 more. It has sold 110, broken up 125, and 31 have been lost. The number of Gatling guns in use is being rapidly increased. The large ironclads are now all armed with them, and several have been sent to Malta for the Mediterranean fleet.

The imports at New York during the month past are more than $7,000,000 below the same month last year, and more than $13,000,000 below the same month the year before. For seven months of the year the imports have shrunk more than $20,000,000, compared with 1875 and more than $73,000,000 compared with 1874. Of course, part of this shrinkage is due to the decline in prices; but it is, nevertheless, the straw which shows very plainly which way the commercial wind blows. The exports hold on much better than the imports, being for the past month nearly $1,000,000 in excess of the same month last year, and for the seven months of the year nearly $5,000,000 greater than during that period last year. If a favorable trade balance is necessary to prosperity, we should now be in a fair way to reach it, for, taking the country at large, we are exporting more than we are importing.

Five or six months of married life, remarks a veteran observer, will often reduce a naturally irascible man to such a condition of angelic humility that it wouldn't be safe to trust him with a pair of wings.

The Noble Whisky sold by Henry Fleckenstein, 147 First street, Portland, is made in the most complete distillery in America. So say the Centennial Commissioners, and is to be had at all the prominent saloons in Oregon.

MRS. DR. B. A. OWENS,
Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

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THE HEALING, COOLING, SOOTHING EFFECT of GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP upon the skin, when broken or inflamed by bruises, burns or scalds, or irritated by Eruptions or Sores, far surpasses that of lotion, liniment or ointment.

A great many people have asked us of late, "How do you keep your horse looking so sleek and glossy?" We tell them it is the easiest thing in the world; give *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* two or three times a week.

A gentleman in the eastern part of the State who was about having his leg amputated on account of its being bent at right angles and stiff at the knee, heard of *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment*. After using it a short time his leg became straight, and is now as serviceable as the other.

LYON'S KATHAIRON makes beautiful, glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents its falling out or turning gray. It has stood the test of 40 years. Is charmingly perfumed, and has no rival.

HAGAN'S MAGNOLIA BALM preserves and restores the complexion; removes freckles, tan and sallowness; makes the skin soft, white and delicate. Its application cannot be detected.

EXPOSURE TO DRAFTS WHEN HEATED, and sudden changes in the temperature of the atmosphere, are prolific sources of severe Colds, from which many cases of Inflammation of the Lungs, Pleurisy, Asthma and other Pulmonary Affections are developed. Should you be unfortunate enough to contract a Cold, resort at once to Dr. Jayne's Expectorant, a remedy that will not only promptly cure Coughs and Colds but will relieve and strengthen the Pulmonary and Bronchial organs and remove all dangerous symptoms.

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Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

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FRANK FABRE
HAS JUST RETURNED FROM THE SOUND where he made arrangements with the GIG HARBOR CO. to furnish the city with all kinds of SALT WATER FISH AND SHELL FISH.
He will receive nice fresh lots three times a week—Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Orders promptly filled. He solicits the patronage of the public.
Place—Corner Ash and Second Streets,
Block above the Market.
He keeps on hand all kinds of
GAME AND POULTRY.

ABOUT WOMEN.

A Detroit boarding house mistress wears four-buttoned white kid gloves while dealing out the hash.

Three little Arab girls have been brought from Africa to England and baptized there, and now their misery will begin.

A Salem (Mass.) witch, soon to be married, has provided herself for the occasion with 24 dresses at a cost of $5,000 (silver.)

Ladies now hang their fans by a two-inch wide cardinal ribbon, caught at the waist on the left side. The bright color forms a pretty contrast both with light and dark dresses.

In a society letter we read that it is row, sisters, row, at Lake Mahopac this season, "where some of the dear little white muslin, blue sashed things are very clever with oars."

A philosophical woman writes to the Chicago *Times* to inquire: "Why is it that just at the moment when a young man finds out that his girl will have him, he wants to back out of the engagement?"

It is generally remarked that Southern girls at the various watering places this season dress very plainly and are not demonstrative in any way. Life is a serious matter with the people of the Southern States.

A Southern gentleman, writing from Cape May to his home newspaper, wonders why a prudish girl will dance with no one but her brother will run along the beach "naked as to the knee" and kicking sand at her beau.

A Boston belle says in a note from Long Branch that the towels at that watering place are so small and thin that "when one makes a single dab at oneself with them they are wringing wet, and they charge 25 cents for the use of two.

As soon as she was able to leave her bed, a Boston wife knocked down her husband with a nursing bottle because the baby was cross-eyed. As an offset to this domestic incident, it is proper to mention here that a Cleveland man whipped his wife because the baby did not take the first prize at the recent baby show.

They had an "apple dumpling party" at Reading, Pa., one recent evening, in describing which, a reporter of the *Eagle* says: "The champion of the night put away fifteen dumplings, and, as the last one disappeared down her throat, she rolled her eyes upward, smiled and had just enough breath left to wish she had more capacity."

A gentleman gave his servant maid the following character the other day: "The bearer has been in my employ a year minus eleven months. During that time she has shown herself diligent—at the house door; frugal—in work; mindful—of herself; prompt—in excuses; friendly—toward men; faithful—to her lovers; and honest—when everything has vanished."

This note from a Chicago girl to her lover was made public through a law-suit: "Dear Samie—Pap's water-millions are ripe. Come and bring some more poetry like you brought afore. My love for you will ever flow like water running down a tater row. Bring a piece as long as your arm, and have a heap more about those raving ringlits and other sweet things. Come next Sunday and don't fole me."

The hard times have cast a blight on American matrimony. "Griselda," in her letter from Saratoga to the Hartford *Times*, describes the beautiful dresses seen at that beautiful resort, and adds: "In short, a lady is now dainty from head to foot and an object of man's adoration, but they don't adore as they did when there were dozens of worshippers at every girl's shrine, and men thought themselves fortunate when they obtained wives. Now it is all reversed."

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Sleep, little baby of mine,
Night and the darkness are near.
But Jesus looks down
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Shut, little sleepy blue eyes
Dear little head, be at rest:
Jesus, like you,
Was a baby once, too,
And slept on His own mother's breast.

Sleep, little baby of mine,
Soft on your pillow so white;
Jesus is here
To watch over you, dear,
And nothing can harm you, to-night.

Oh little darling of mine,
What can you know of the bliss,
The comfort I keep,
Awake and asleep,
Because I am certain of this.

BITTER CREAM AND BITTER BUTTER.

Mrs. E. D. M., who writes to the *Farmer*, [illegible] her views about the causes which produce bitterness in cream and butter, has yet [illegible] thing to learn, in common with all the rest of us. Simply covering pure, sound cream [illegible] tin pail will not of itself cause bitterness nor fermentation in the cream it contains; on the contrary, keeping it from contact with the oxygen of the air would have a tendency to retard changes rather than hasten them. Cream is very seldom bitter in the [illegible] nor would it often be in winter if [illegible] kept at a temperature as high day and night. It is impossible to state [illegible] causes bitterness in each specimen [illegible] or mess of cream. Sometimes it [illegible] with [illegible] or poor feed eaten [illegible] but much oftener it is indirectly [illegible] by a low temperature of the milk during the rising of the cream. Perhaps it would [illegible] correct to say that a low temperature [illegible] exciting or immediate cause, just as a [illegible] may be the exciting cause of a fit of sickness in the human patient.

[illegible] admitted that milk is a complex [illegible], and that it is subject to con[illegible] from the moment it leaves the [illegible] in the stomach of [illegible] or [illegible] it is entirely decomposed by the final [illegible] of decay. Milk [illegible] not only fat, curd, sugar and water, [illegible] oils which may add [illegible] from its agreeable flavor, according to the conditions they may be in. It [illegible] germs of fungi which, under [illegible] conditions, may injure its flavor. [illegible] vegetable growths are liable to increase with great rapidity when the conditions [illegible] and tend to destroy, or entirely [illegible] the character of the milk growth, and the summer souring tends to counteract [illegible]. As milk is often kept in warm [illegible] the souring process begins so soon that [illegible] protected from the effects of germs [illegible] of [illegible] milk will also [illegible] growth for the time being. [illegible] in milk which produces bitterness [illegible] under a much lower temperature [illegible] required for producing sourness. [illegible] to explain in detail all [illegible] to which milk is subject [illegible] doing, we may, perhaps, [illegible] a little clearer by comparing two conditions of sourness and [illegible] a railroad track and its [illegible] is to milk as a switch [illegible] If the temperature is low, [illegible] to prevent all action, [illegible] be at or near the freezing point, [illegible] go off on the track toward a con[illegible] just as sure as there are [illegible] it; but if the temperature [illegible] send it toward a [illegible] We seldom [illegible] of bitter milk, cream, or [illegible]. It is when the days [illegible] in the fall or early winter, [illegible] the milk is removed to winter [illegible] the questions begin to come in, [illegible] the milk come?" and "What [illegible] bitter?" It is possible there [illegible] so pure that a low temperature [illegible] bitterness in forty-eight [illegible] believe such milk is very scarce. [illegible] only sure preventive we have [illegible] the milk to 103° as soon [illegible] from the stables. People who [illegible] have any trouble of this kind.

[illegible] IN MAKING BUTTER.

[illegible] *Farmer* says: It is admitted by [illegible] of extensive experience, that [illegible] and noxious odors in the atmosphere [illegible] milking will injure the [illegible]. We recollect that a neighbor [illegible] a skunk, more than a hundred rods [illegible], and the offensive and pungent odor [illegible] animal was wafted during the [illegible] toward the pantry in which there [illegible] pans of milk. The butter made [illegible] savored so offensively of the odor [illegible] that it could not be used for [illegible]. [illegible] L. A. Willard writes on [illegible] "when milkers are allowed [illegible] directly from the stable to the milk [illegible] it will be impossible to keep the latter [illegible] and clean for the time being." [illegible] are hundreds of butter makers, we [illegible] on whom the importance of this [illegible] cannot be too strongly urged, [illegible] often consider many little things of [illegible] in regard to dairy management too [illegible] to merit attention. But in butter [illegible] the observance of little things is [illegible] secret of success.

[illegible] no doubt that immense quantities [illegible] are made from the milk set in [illegible] places. The kitchen pantry, the [illegible] and the cellar used to store vegetables and other family supplies will impart [illegible] to the milk and cream, in such [illegible] as to be destructive to flavor, even [illegible] the butter in other respects be skillfully [illegible]. Dairy rooms so situate as to catch [illegible] odor from the pig sty, the cesspool, or [illegible] decomposing filth, cannot be used for making good butter. There should be a freedom from filth and impurities of every description about the milk house, and the milk should be delivered by the milkers in an anteroom, and from thence conveyed to the place [illegible] it is to be set for cream. In this way the fumes and the litter from the stable may be kept from the milk room.

The causes of poor butter are various, the most important of which are lack of cleanliness, the want of proper dairy utensils, the lack of a good dairy room or place for setting the milk, neglect in manipulating the cream at the right time, unskillful working, packing and storing the butter, and finally, lack of knowledge in a part or whole of the process required for making a prime article.

PRACTICAL REFORM.

So far as reform of the civil service depends on replacing inferior men by better ones, that is a question partly of material and partly of will. We hardly think that any candid man will say that a Democratic President would enjoy any advantage over a Republican one in the men he has to choose from. We do not deny to the Democrats able and pure men, but they do not readily come to the front in that party. They are not conspicuous in the present House of Representatives, where Randall and Cox divide the honors, and the modest but far better Morrison is condemned to a sort of conspicuous obscurity. As to the will to select good men, that is a matter of which each man must judge for himself, according to the knowledge he has of the character of Gen. Hayes and Gov. Tilden respectively.—*N. Y. Times.*

The New Haven *Journal* is a sober, respectable newspaper, seldom moving out of the paths of mild statement and quiet demonstration, but recently it seems to have gone wild about beautiful women, declaring that American girls are the handsomest in the world. "There are," says the *Journal*, "a dozen beautiful women in New Haven as perfectly beautiful in form, color and feature as any chiseled or painted by the greatest masters, not excepting the Venus of Milo and the Madonnas of [illegible]

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, August 24, 1876.

Gold in New York, [illegible].

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 90; selling 91.

Silver—Trade dollars, 90c; other coins, 90c.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent.

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ¼ per cent. premium.

Gold Bars 800 par.

The recent decline in gold is regarded by well informed financiers as the result of a light legitimate demand, as to the adjournment of Congress without action on the silver question, the favorable foreign advices and the fact that large amounts were bought by speculators in expectation of a rise to follow the vote in the House to repeal the resumption act, and who are now free sellers. Within the past two weeks the price of silver in the London market has advanced at least 13 cents per ounce; the latest quotations being 53½d against 48d on the 1st of August, and the idea that it will go still higher is extending, so that speculators are reported to be buying it up against the expected advance. The market for silver on this coast is abundantly supplied and its relative value to gold in trade circles is unchanged.

The local money market is not changed. In its main features the loan and discount business showing now a very fair volume for the season, but a marked increase is looked for in the way of advances on wheat stored and shipped within the next month.

A bill has been introduced in Congress which will give to the gold note banks the permission to issue 90 per cent. notes, instead of 80 per cent., as at present. The banks will be released from keeping 25 per cent. coin in vault against circulation, but will keep continually in the hands of the Assistant Treasurer of the United States at San Francisco coin to the amount of 5 per cent. of circulation for the redemption of notes as presented. If a bank now has $500,000 capital, it has $400,000 notes in circulation, and by law must keep $100 000 coin in vault to meet them. Under the proposed law the bank will issue $450,000 notes, and will keep $22,500 in the United States treasury at San Francisco. The cost of $500,000 bonds may be placed at $530,000. The bank will receive interest on the bonds at 6 per cent., equal to $30,000; it will loan the notes at 1 per cent. to the extent of $427,500, the sum of $22,510 being idle in the treasury. The income from loans will be $51,300, making the total income $81,300. From this must be deducted United States tax of 1 per cent., amounting to $4,500. This gives a net income of $76,800. This amount ($76 800) is based upon the supposition that the bank has not one dollar of deposits.

Domestic Produce.

The course of the market in this line of business during the week under review has been marked by no especially prominent features. The harvest work is not yet concluded, and the few farmers who have their grain threshed are evidently in no hurry to rush it into market, the price and demand prevailing being but little inducement to them to make any great degree of haste in the matter, for while it seems quite probable that high prices will not be realized this year, it is hardly expected that the cereal will be much lower than at present. Our quotations are exporters' prices, and are given by them as the "top" of the market. Flour is dull sale for any more than the local trade and the light call from northern points. Oats are in fair request, but prices have a downward tendency. Receipts are light, and all offering are taken for home consumption. A few lots of barley have come to hand and have sold readily at quotations. Mill feed and hay are in good supply and with a declining market prices are weaker. Potatoes are coming forward freely and the local trade is dull at 45@50c per bushel. Dairy products meet with ready sale at our figures if they will bear any warranty of good quality. There is some demand for provisions and the receipts during the week have been very light—a large quantity, however, is not desirable at present prices or expected. There is little or no dried fruit in the market, and quotations are nominal. The wool traffic presents no new features, prices as quoted being firmly sustained, with reported sales of choice lots at ½@1c per pound advance.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax, for San Francisco, will sail at 4 o'clock to-morrow (Friday morning).

The steamship Gussie Telfair will sail for Victoria and Puget Sound ports, at 6 P. M. to-morrow.

The steamship John L. Stephens will leave San Francisco for Portland on Saturday.

The new steamship Geo. W. Elder, of the O. S. S. Co.'s line, under command of Capt. Connor, will leave San Francisco for this port Saturday, Sept. 2d.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Arrived—Bark Tidal Wave, Port Madison; bktn Webfoot, Shoalwater Bay; schr Frithiof, Coos Bay; Br. ship Brodick Castle, New Castle, N. S. W.; Br. ship Cormorant, Manila; bk Helen W. Almy, Honolulu; ship Gen. McClellan, New York; Br. ship Assaye, New Castle, N. S. W.; ship [illegible] Charles, Liverpool; Br. ship Fifi, New Castle, N. S. W.

Sailed—Brig Sea Wolf, Astoria; schr D. S. Williams, Port Blakely; bktn Modoc, Astoria; bk Wallace, Queenstown.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Flour—Extra jobbing at $5 25@5 37½, payable in silver at thirty days.

Wheat—Low grades dull at $1 80@1 40, shipping grades $1 50@1 52½, milling $1 55@1 57½; cables from Liverpool report cargoes to arrive at 45s@45s 6d.

Barley—Feed 87½@95c, with quiet market.

Oats—$1 45@1 75 for all kinds feed.

Corn—Yellow $1 22½@1 25, white $1 27½@1 35.

Potatoes—Sweet $1 50, all other kinds 50c@$1 05.

Hay—Cargo lots $8@13 50.

Wool—45,000 lbs fall 10@12½c.

Gold closed in New York to day at 111.

Legal tenders—89¾ buying, 90¼ selling.

Half Dollars—5¼@5½ per cent. discount selling, 5@5¼ buying.

Liverpool wheat market to-day, 9s 1d@9s 4d for average California, 9s 5d@10s for club.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 35 per cental, sacked.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $5 50 ℔ bbl; good outside and country brands, $4 50@$4 75; fine and superfine, $4 00@4 25.

OATS—Surprise, 55c per bushel; good white, 50; black, 45c.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15@1 20 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $18@20 ℔ ton; shorts, $[illegible] 50@23; chopped, middlings, etc., $27 50; oil cake meal, $37 50@$40.

EGGS—Quotable at 25 cents per dozen.

POTATOES—Market well supplied at 45@50c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 25@1 50 ℔ 100 lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $14@$15; loose, $12@$13.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins, 16@17c ℔ lb; in kegs, 16c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@5c; pitless, 14@15c ℔ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 15@20c ℔ lb; brine, 20@25c; roll, 25@30c; fancy dairy, 25@30c; cheese, quotable at 15@20 ℔ lb.

CHICKENS—Quotations range from $2 50@$4 00.

BACON—Hams, choice, 16@17c; common to choice, 12@14c ℔ lb; sides, 14c; shoulders, 9c.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed, 5@5½c ℔ lb; on foot, 1¾@2½c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ℔ lb; mutton sheep, $2 50@3 ℔ head.

WOOL—Choice Wallamet valley, 17c; common, 13@14c; Eastern Oregon and Walla Walla, 12@14c, all according to quality and condition.

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 11c ℔ lb; culls, ⅓ off; green, 3@4c; elk, 10@15c ℔ lb; deer, 16@25c ℔ lb for dried, and 50@75c each, green; mink skins, $1 50 each; otter, $1@5 each; beaver, $ 75@$1.

EXPORTS.

Per steamship Ajax, for San Francisco, dispatched by the O. S. S. Co., Aug. 25th—651 bales, (145,475 lbs) wool, 185 bxs eggs, 237 bxs dried onions, 5 half barrels salmon, 1 cs castings, 2 cs furs, 1 bale bear skins, 10 bdls bark, 821 bdls staves, 75 bdls headings, 76 pkgs miscellaneous wares, and 10,000 cs salmon from Astoria.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

JOHN B. MILLER,
WATCHMAKER & JEWELER,
No. 93 First St., National Bank Building,
Has just received a large and well selected stock of
Fine Gold and Silver Watches
Manufactured by the most Celebrated Makers in Europe and America. Also,
Watch Chains and Jewelry, Latest Styles,
SILVER AND PLATED WARE.
CLOCKS of all descriptions known to the trade.
Watches and Jewelry cleaned and repaired and warranted.

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JOHN LACHAPELLE, Boat Builder, is prepared to furnish Boats for Sale or Rent at any moment. Boat House Foot of Pine street.

SUMMER RESORTS.

GRIMES HOUSE.
CLATSOP CO., OREGON.

THE PROPRIETOR HAS JUST COMPLETED some improvements to this conveniently situated house. Has good shell road to the beach bath house. The table is always supplied with the best viands the markets of the country afford. Good fare for families at moderate prices.
G. K. GRIMES, Proprietor.

THE SEA-SIDE HOUSE,
CLATSOP BEACH,
IS NOW OPEN FOR THE RECEPTION OF VISITORS.
J. C. OLMSTED.

ARRIGONI'S.

IN GIVING NOTICE OF THE FORMAL OPENING of my

"NEW HOUSE,"

which is complete in all its accommodations, and now open for the reception of guests, I will add that I shall at all times give personal attention in all its departments for their comfort.

The healthy location of the House is not surpassed. Its elevated position gives a fine view of the Bay. The green lawn surrounding it—pure Spring Water in abundance, and cool fresh breeze from the sea, all add to its comfort, making it the most desirable home for any wishing to spend a few weeks for recreation or the improvement of their health.

Rooms $8, $10, and $12 per week, according to location.

MRS. S. N. ARRIGONI.
Astoria, July 27, 1876. jy26d1m

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A
NICE FITTING SHIRT
MADE OF
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Ask for the
STANDARD TRADE N.B. MARK BRAND,
Manufactured in San Francisco,
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TAKE NONE OTHER!
FOR SALE BY THE
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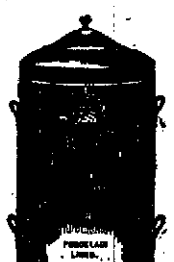
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Impure Water is made SWEET & WHOLESOME.
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4,000 ACRES, IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

230 ACRES DUE SOUTH AND ADJOINING the Railroad Depot at Salem, all under cultivation, and suitable for grain or vegetables.

946 Acres, four miles southeast of Salem, on the railroad, with Mill creek running through it. This is the choicest farming land in Marion county, with fine springs, consisting in part of the old Rector donation claim, on which I raised the past year fifty bushels of wheat and three tons of timothy per acre. The first crop of oats ever raised on part of this land measured ninety-four bushels per acre, grain weighed and ground chained by Mr. Alfred Stanton, of Salem.

2,700 Acres of prairie and light brush land, with timber for farming purposes, bounded by the Willamette River for four miles, beautiful lake on the east, boat landings all along the river, commencing four miles north of Salem—all choice grain land—the largest and most suitable body of land to be found in the Willamette Valley to be purchased by a colony. To be sold from $15 to $25 per acre. This land will all be immediately resurveyed, and can be sold in larger or smaller parcels, to suit purchasers. It can be subdivided to the best possible advantage, and I can offer any person or persons, or colony of persons, desiring to purchase homes in the best part of the Willamette Valley, near the city of Salem and within reach of the best social advantages, as well as most favorably located with respect to markets, greater advantages, on more favorable terms, than they can ever expect to realize again.
THOMAS CROSS.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON MONDAY, the 28th day of August, the Board of Equalization for the county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, will attend at the Court House in said county, at the office of the County Clerk, to publicly examine the Assessment Roll, and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property, and all parties interested therein are hereby notified to appear at the time and place above mentioned.

O. M. BARNARD,
Assessor of Multnomah county, Oregon.
August 7, 1876. au7d1aw3w&w

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FOOT OF YAMHILL STREET.
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Sawed and unsawed, constantly on hand and delivered to any part of the City

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Stalls 1 and 2 Central Market,
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Dealer in all kinds of
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Highest Price paid for all kinds of Fat Stock.

CHRIS. SCHLOTH,
Washington St., near Third,
Is prepared to supply Fresh
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Free delivery to any part of the city.

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Cor. Madison and First Streets,
Is prepared to supply Fresh
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E. H. GARLING,
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KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND the best of all kinds of MEATS. All orders delivered in any part of the city Free of Charge. Also, KOSHER BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON.

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

North Ninth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve North Ninth street from G to I street, by grading, laying sidewalks, crosswalks and constructing a bridge across Tanner Creek similar to the one on G street.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Aug. 18, 1876. au19d10t

Ordinance No. 1803.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION of a Fire Cistern in Grant street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The committee on Fire and Water are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder for the construction of a Fire Cistern of twenty thousand gallons capacity at the intersection of Fourth and Grant streets, as per plan and specifications filed in the office of the Auditor and Clerk September 1, 1875 provided the cost thereof shall not exceed six hundred dollars.

Passed the Common Council August 16, 1876.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved August 18, 1876.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.
a19d5t

Second Street.

WHEREAS, The Common Council of the City of Portland deeming it expedient to extend laterally the lines of Second street between A and Madison streets, did on the 11th day of July, 1876, direct the City Surveyor to survey said proposed extension, mark the boundaries thereof, and make his report with plat of said proposed street and its boundaries, and the said Surveyor having filed his report with plat, which said report has been adopted by Ordinance No. 1798, entitled "an Ordinance adopting the report of the City Surveyor in the matter of the lateral extension or widening of Second street."

Now therefore, all persons interested are hereby notified that the Common Council has appointed C. W. Burrage, S. Norris and R. Mendenhall, viewers to view said proposed lateral extension of Second street, and to make an assessment of damages and benefits; said viewers to meet for that purpose at the office of the Auditor and Clerk at 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, August 28, 1876.

The following pieces or parcels of land will have to be appropriated, viz:

The westerly five feet of lots numbered five, six, seven and eight, in blocks numbered ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, thirty-eight, forty-one, twenty-nine, twenty eight, and lots five, six and seven in block thirty-three.

The easterly five feet of lots numbered two, three and four in block numbered thirty-two; lots one, two, three and four in blocks numbered thirty one, thirty, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five; the portion of each lot to be taken containing two hundred and fifty square feet.

Also, the westerly five feet of lot eight in block thirty-three, containing one hundred, thirty-eight and thirty-eight one hundredths square feet.

Also, the easterly five feet of lot one in block thirty-two, containing twenty-two and three one-hundredths square feet.

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Aug. 22, 1876. a22d5t

Ordinance No. 1804.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION of a Fire Cistern at First and Vine streets.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Fire and Water and Chief Engineer are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a fire cistern of brick and cement of forty thousand gallons capacity, at or near the intersection of First street with Vine and A streets, according to plans and specifications to be furnished, *provided*, the cost thereof shall not exceed one thousand and fifty dollars.

Passed the Common Council August 21, 1876.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved August 22, 1876.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.
a24d5t

Street Improvements.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve the following named streets by laying plank gutters (12 or 16 inches wide as may be necessary) along the south curb line, and box gutters across the intersections, with the necessary grading therefor:

Main street, West Park to Front street
Madison street, East Park to Front.
Jefferson street, West Park to Front.
Columbia street, West Park to Front.
Clay street, West Park to Front.
Market street, West Park to Front.
Mill street, West Park to Front
Harrison street, West Park to Front.
Hall street, West Park to Front.
College street, Seventh to Third.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Aug. 24, 1876. a24d10t

B Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve B street between the west line of N. Tenth street and the west line of N. Twelfth street by planking the roadway 16 feet in width.

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Aug. 24, 1876. a24d10t

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY SUPPLIES.

OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE,
Department of the Columbia,
Portland, Oregon, August 15th, 1876.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN TRIPLICATE, WITH a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office and at the office of the Acting Commissary of Subsistence at each Post, for which supplies are required, until 12 M., TUESDAY, September 12, 1876, for the delivery of the following Subsistence Supplies, viz:

FLOUR.

At FORT COLVILLE, W. T., 5,000 lbs., more or less.
FORT KLAMATH, OGN., 20,000 lbs. "
FORT WALLA WALLA, W. T., 50,000 lbs. "
FORT TOWNSEND, W. T., 12,500 lbs. "
FORT STEVENS, OGN., 12,500 lbs. "
FORT CANBY, W. T., 12,500 lbs. "
FORT VANCOUVER, W. T., 50,000 "

FAMILY FLOUR.

At FORT COLVILLE, W. T., 1,000 lbs., more or less.
FORT KLAMATH, OGN., 1,500 lbs. "
FORT WALLA WALLA, W. T., 5,000 lbs. "

ALSO,

At PORTLAND, OREGON:

40,000 lbs. FLOUR, more or less.
12,000 lbs. FAMILY FLOUR, more or less.
4,950 lbs. CORN MEAL, more or less.
26,736 lbs. ISLAND BROWN SUGAR, more or less.
8,588 lbs. FINE SALT, more or less.
3,500 lbs. ASSORTED CRACKERS, more or less.
600 2lb cans SALMON, more or less.
1,150 boxes YEAST POWDER, more or less.

The above articles to be delivered at such times during the fiscal year ending June 30th 1877 as the Chief Commissary of the Department may direct.

Proposals must be accompanied by a guarantee signed by two responsible persons and sworn to before some magistrate having authority to administer oaths, stating that if a contract is awarded the [illegible] will enter into bonds for the faithful fulfillment of the contract.

Samples of the articles proposed to furnish must be submitted with the proposal.

Proposals for any part of the above will be considered, the U. S. reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

Prices in U. S. currency written as well as expressed in figures.

For further information apply to each Acting Commissary of Subsistence at the Post concerned or at this office.

Envelopes should be endorsed "Proposals for ——— at ———."

W. H. BOYLE,
1st Lieut. 21st Infantry, A. D. C.,
Act. Chf. C. S., Dept. of the Columbia.
a22d6t

DISTRICT OF OREGON: ss—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. B. A. Riviere, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition, by the District Court of said District.

EMMONS ARNOLD, Assignee.
Portland, Oregon, August 23, 1876. a24d1aw3Th

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

To Take Effect Sunday, Aug. 2d, 1874, at 6 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Portland ....7:30 A. M.	Roseburg .... 6:40 P. M.
Roseburg........5:30 A. M.	Portland............4:35 P. M.

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows:

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Portland..........3:50 P. M.	Albany..............8:20 P. M.
Albany............5:30 A. M.	Portland............10:05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Portland.........6:15 A. M.	Junction..........6:00 P. M
Junction.........5:45 A. M.	Portland..........5:15 P. M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing
PORTLAND.

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.

J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.
E. P. ROGERS,
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

KALAMA TO TACOMA.
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Kalama ....11:20 A. M.	Tacoma..........5:00 P. M
Tacoma..........7:00 A. M.	Kalama..........12:20 P. M

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle, Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound.

On Saturday and Wednesday at 8 A. M. with steamers for Port Townsend, Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Fraser River.

Connecting Tri-Monthly with Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Steamers from VICTORIA to SAN FRANCISCO.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco:
Cabin.............$25 00 | Steerage.............$12 00

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O. S. N. Co., Portland, Or.

J. W. SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent.
H. W. FAIRWEATHER,
General Ticket Agent.

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LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

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COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

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Coin & Currency Exchange
(Sight and Telegraphic,) for sale on
SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK,
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LONDON, HONG KONG,
PARIS, BERLIN,
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President, HENRY FAILING.
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Butter Workers, Tubs, Pails,
Wash Boards, Churns of all kinds,
Ax and Pick (Hickory) Handles.

To all of which we invite the attention of the trade. Our Stock is large, varied and complete. We possess facilities unsurpassed by any house on the Coast for placing Goods in our line in this market, at the Lowest San Francisco Rates and respectfully solicit an examination of our Stock and Prices, at our Warerooms,
No. 8 North Front St., Portland, Ogn.
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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between S. Ottenheimer and S. A. Heilner, under the firm name of S. Ottenheimer & Co., at Baker City, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, S. Ottenheimer retiring. All outstandings due the late firm must be paid to S. A. Heilner, the remaining partner, and all claims against said late firm will be liquidated by S. A. Heilner.

S. OTTENHEIMER,
S. A. HEILNER.
Baker City, Oregon, Aug. 10, 1876.

S. A. Heilner, successor of S. Ottenheimer & Co., will carry on the business as heretofore, under the name and firm of S. A. Heilner & Co., and I hereby authorize Mr. S. Ottenheimer to receive and receipt for all moneys which he may collect for me.

S. A. HEILNER.
Baker City, Oregon, Aug. 10, 1876. au17d2w

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer
AJAX.
FRED. BOLLES..............................Commander
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at Foot of F street, for the above port
FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1876,
At 4 o'clock A. M.
For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner F and Front streets.
GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steam Propeller
CALIFORNIA,
J. A. GARDINER.............................Commander
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F street, for the above ports,
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1876,
At 6 o'clock P. M.
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For NEW WESTMINSTER and NANAIMO.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steamer
GUSSIE TELFAIR,
L. S. SQUIRE..............................Commander.
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STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:
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Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Washington streets.
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PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND
FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.
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FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.
FOR SEATTLE—Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, at 6 A. M.
FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A. M.
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By order of L. A. LOOMIS, President.
J. G. HUSTLER, Agent, Astoria, Oregon.

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CORVALLIS,
AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS, ON
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OF EACH WEEK AT 6 A. M.
Until Further Notice.
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Z. J. HATCH, Portland Agent.

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JAS. T. GRAY, Master,
WILL LEAVE FOOT OF ALDER STREET daily, Sunday excepted, at 3 P. M.
Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board.
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For Freight room apply to
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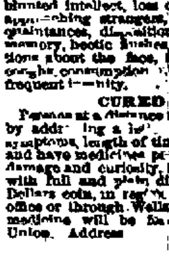

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[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE O[illegible]

California Polo Club

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 25.—The Ca[illegible] players gave their first exhibition [illegible] before a large number of spectators [illegible] were as follows: Blues—Morgan, Cer[illegible] lard; Reds—Mowry, Jourdan and F[illegible] Reds won three successive games, and [illegible] fourth.

Gold and St[illegible]

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Gold closed 11[illegible] 110⅝; governments active, a little [illegible] active and feverish, with a very unse[illegible] W. C., 70¼; Quicksilver, 13; Pacif[illegible] Mariposa, 6; Wells, Fargo, 80½; N. Y. [illegible] 16¾; Panama, 126; U. P. stock, 62 bo[illegible] bonds, 109¼.

Workingmen Going to Sco[illegible]

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—One hund[illegible] masons and stone cutters sailed [illegible] land under contract with John Coghil[illegible] the Parochial buildings at Gr[illegible] receive ten pence per hour for eight h[illegible] One hundred and fifty more are to sta[illegible] soon.

Heavy [illegible]

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 25.—The [illegible] [illegible] for several years [illegible] over [illegible] night, lasting three hours without [illegible] [illegible] houses and cellars on Ma[illegible] causing considerable loss to [illegible] goods stored in them. The br[illegible] portion of the city were washed away [illegible] throughout the section were badly da[illegible]

[illegible]

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 25. [illegible] wide, widely known from her co[illegible] so called [illegible] evening.

[illegible] East Ri[illegible]

New York, Aug. 25.—The feat of [illegible] wire rope on Brooklyn bridge, was acc[illegible] complished by A. F. Far[illegible] day, in 22 minutes. The [illegible] feet per second. Another rope wi[illegible] this evening.

Cong[illegible]

RICHMOND, Aug. 25.—Gov. G. Walk[illegible] [illegible] as Conservative [illegible] from the third d[illegible] of Virginia.

St. Louis, Aug. 25.—Capt. [illegible] nounced as an Indepe[illegible] from the [illegible] to Col. Glov[illegible] Wedn[illegible] day.

MORRIS, Ill., Aug. 25. [illegible] sixth Cong[illegible] district to [illegible] Hayes for Cong[illegible]

DAVENPORT, Iowa, Aug. 25.—The [illegible] nominated J. H. Murphy for C[illegible]

[illegible]

CINCINNATI, Aug. 25. [illegible] hung at Dayton this af[illegible] Wm. Dawson, in this city, in 1875.

[illegible]

NEW ALBANY, Ind., Aug. 25. [illegible] of the population took part in [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] every organization [illegible]

[illegible] individuals also [illegible] in the [illegible] along the line of [illegible] back and tolling bells [illegible] to the [illegible] performed by Rev. S. Conn, of the [illegible] church, the text [illegible] After the [illegible] the Masonic fraternity [illegible] and the [illegible]

Phila[illegible]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. [illegible] down to 17.[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] won [illegible] time, 2:22, 2:26¼, 2:24. In the 2:29 race for [illegible] 2d; time, [illegible]

In Ba[illegible]

NEW YORK, Aug. [illegible] & Co. [illegible] in bankruptcy. [illegible]

[illegible]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. [illegible]

West Point [illegible]

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A [illegible] says one of the [illegible] Club, which [illegible] Saratoga, is an English [illegible] same. The [illegible] will be [illegible] if true, the club barred out of [illegible]

WASH[illegible]

4½ per cent. [illegible]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25. [illegible] and a half funded loan have been [illegible] all parties bidding, [illegible] the [illegible] ciale, and national banks [illegible] fected as the result of the [illegible] was mainly secured by the [illegible] [illegible] harmony and [illegible]

[illegible]

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—The [illegible] special says: Taft has sent a [illegible] circular to district attorneys and [illegible] in enforcing election laws to the [illegible] branch. It will probably be [illegible] sent and returned for promulga[illegible] week.

Taking [illegible]

A mor[illegible] has been [illegible] [illegible] indicted in [illegible] Brooks & Co., to secure removal of [illegible] the Treasury department, who [illegible] before the grand jury and [illegible] A number of politi[illegible] parties and others who have [illegible] case are assisting. Taking advanta[illegible] motion now prog[illegible] [illegible] various [illegible] by means of which they [illegible] themselves. The discovery of the [illegible] will probably di[illegible] it.

Mr. Vance and the C[illegible]

[illegible] Representative Vance, who tod[illegible] part in investigation of the gove[illegible] office, now finds the printers [illegible] influence through a labor organ [illegible] in his district, and was taking [illegible] in the office to help the [illegible] of the [illegible] Clapp, chairman of Senate printing [illegible] Republican and should not be [illegible] Clapp, public printer, who [illegible] was out of control of the office the pa[illegible] by an employe of the office for the [illegible] raising funds to defray the exp[illegible] who had been [illegible] by the [illegible] present them in Mr. Vance's district [illegible] interests of labor and in opposition [illegible] The effort did not [illegible] of a poli[illegible] and he (Clapp) [illegible] with it, while he had no power [illegible] nothing has, however, resulted from [illegible] money being collected upon subscrip[illegible] accordance with a recent law of Cong[illegible] collection of money from government [illegible] private purpose, he would, when [illegible] guard that law from violation [illegible] ment printing office.

GILMAN, Ills., Aug. 25.—The Democ[illegible] Congressional district nominated Geo[illegible] independent nominee.

THE BLACK HILL

Returning Miners Attacked by

CHEYENNE, Aug. 25.—A party of fift[illegible] their return trip from Deadwood were [illegible] Indians on the 20th inst., 10 miles [illegible] Creek, where Lieut. Taylor's Compan[illegible] infantry, is stationed. Two horse[illegible] three wounded and six stolen. The [illegible] hurt into the station, and Lieut. Ta[illegible] detachment which recovered the [illegible] property.

Encouraging Mining Ne[illegible]

The latest news by the *Black Hills* [illegible] lished at Deadwood, is encouraging [illegible] Eight hundred ounces of gold [illegible] this city to day. Yesterday a so[illegible] quartz was consigned to the Pacific co[illegible] bition, which bristles with free gold [illegible] weighs 25 pounds and is estimated to [illegible] in gold. This is from the Alpha min[illegible] tons of the same ore are now on [illegible] Philadelphia.

Telegraph to the Black H[illegible]

The telegraph line which has been m[illegible] slow progress, owing to the absence [illegible] working parties, is now making [illegible] the poles being set to Hat creek, 55 m[illegible] Fort Laramie, and the work of string[illegible] begun. The first communication was [illegible] night, from Platte river.

The Peace Commission[illegible]

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—The Peace Co[illegible] some sixty in number, arrived to day [illegible] Omaha and points west, to talk wit[illegible] Bishop Whipple will arrive and jo[illegible] evening, and they leave in twenty-f[illegible] their mission. They are furnished w[illegible] tions from the Interior Department to [illegible] Indians they must not leave their rese[illegible] depredations on Black Hills miners or [illegible] communication.

The "Museum of Living Wonde[illegible] ling show, was very nearly destro[illegible] the South somewhere the other da[illegible]